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### St. Paul's-Carmel Pastoral Charge Holds Congregational Meetings

Splendid Reports Heard On  
Activities of Organizations  
Rev. A. Packman Chairman

The annual Congregational meeting of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, was held in the Sunday School rooms on Wednesday, January 26th. The meeting was preceded by a pot luck supper supplied by the ladies present, and was greatly enjoyed by all.

At 8 p.m. the meeting was called to order by Rev. A. Packman who presided as Chairman. Following the devotional period, Rev. Packman explained the purpose of the meeting as outlined in the Manual and called for the appointment of a Secretary.

The minutes of the last general meeting, January 13th, 1954, and a special meeting on March 21st, 1954, were confirmed as read.

Reports of committees were presented and adopted collectively as read:

Clerk of the Session, Mr. Geo. Carlisle; Stewards, Mr. H. J. Wells for Mr. C. A. Wells; Endowment Fund, Mr. H. J. Wells; Centennial Fund, Mr. R. A. Patterson; White Gift Fund, Mr. R. A. Patterson for Mrs. W. T. Elliott; Festival of Sacred Praise, Mr. R. A. Patterson for Mrs. W. T. Elliott; Woman's Assoc., Mrs. H. J. Wells; Parsonage Fund, Mrs. H. J. Wells; M. & M. Fund, Mr. C. E. Macklin; W.M.S., Mrs. E. G. Bailey; Ball & Chain Club, Mr. Wm. Wilkins for Mr. A. Francis; River Valley, W.M.A., Mrs. Jack Bush for Mrs. Elva Heasman; Junior Choir, Mrs. C. E. West; Auditors, Mr. Wm. Wilkins.

Rev. A. Packman spoke briefly of his visits during the past 5 months, stating that he had made 410 house calls, 26 hospital calls (Belleville, Campbellford, Trenton and Kingston); he also brought to the attention of all that some of the records of the church were incomplete and asked the co-operation of all in seeing that this work was brought up-to-date in the near future.

The providing of additional classroom accommodation for the Sunday School, four of which are required at the present time, was discussed at considerable length and left for further action by the Official Board.

The addition of two more trustees to complete the Board was also left for further action by the Official Board.

Mrs. Geo. Carlisle drew attention to the W.M.S. Day of Prayer to be held in St. Paul's on Friday, February 25, at 2.30 p.m. and urged as many as possible to attend.

On motion, Mr. Geo. Carlisle was authorized and requested to write Dr. Tuttle and confirm the tentative invitation to him to be the guest speaker at anniversary services on the third Sunday of October.

The consideration of a new carpet for the front of the church was introduced and discussed and left for action by the Official Board.

#### Appreciation

Mr. J. L. Good voiced the appreciation of the congregation to Rev. and Mrs. A. Packman for the wonderful work they have accomplished since their arrival and wished God's blessing for their continued good work in the future. Both Rev. and Mrs. Packman expressed their thanks for the kind words and voiced their desire to be of continued service to the congregation.

The meeting closed with prayer by Rev. A. Packman.

#### Special Meeting

A special congregational meeting was called at the close of morning worship on January 30th and the following reports were presented and adopted collectively: Senior Choir, Mr. Grant Richardson; Sunday School, Mr. Bryce Philp; Mission Band, Mrs. Jack McCaughen; Baby Band, Mrs. Wm. Wilkins.

The report of the Young People's Union was presented by Mr. Ross Bradshaw to the Official Board at their meeting of January 31st and adopted as read.

#### Carmel Church Congregational Meeting

The Annual Congregational meeting was held on Tuesday, January 25th. The attendance was good in spite of

### Energetic Bowling League

In the January 28th meeting of the ladies' Energetic Bowling League Lottie Jeffrey rolled high single of 236 and Verna Woodbeck the high triple of 550.

### St. Paul's To Visit Carmel Church

On Sunday next, February 6th, St. Paul's will visit the Carmel Church at 7.30 p.m. All friends are invited to attend this service at which several from St. Paul's will take a part.

The St. Paul's choir will render special music under the direction of Mrs. Bruce Glendinning, with Mrs. Harold West as pianist.

Light refreshment will be provided following the service.

### Merrie Bowlers

The "Strikers" took seven points from the "Whodunits" and the "Hustlers" took five points from the "Five Pins" in this week's meeting of the Merrie Bowlers ladies' league.

Marjorie Potts rolled high single 199, and Barbara Noble had the high triple, 513.

### Stirling W.I. Card Party

The Stirling Women's Institute held a card party at the Community Hall on Monday night. There were four tables in play. Prizes were won as follows: Ladies' high, Mrs. E. Cooke; ladies' low, Mrs. T. Spry; Gent's high, Mr. Sid Mason; Gent's low, Mr. Alex Rogers.

Lunch and a social hour followed the games.

### St. Andrew's Club Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of St. Andrew's Club was held Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Walker. A pot luck supper was enjoyed. The election of officers was conducted. Mr. and Mrs. Walker were elected honorary presidents and conveners were appointed for each month. Mrs. O. Dalrymple was elected Secretary, Mrs. Jas. Johnston, Treasurer, and Mrs. O. Clapper, pianist.

Mrs. Ken Ray thanked Mr. and Mrs. Walker for their hospitality and the meeting was closed with the benediction.

The February meeting will be a social evening held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rollins on February 14th. Misses Gena and Rosa Spry are the conveners.

The bad weather. A pot luck supper preceded the meeting and this proved a very enjoyable social affair.

The minister, Rev. A. Packman, presided and after conducting devotions, the agenda was introduced and approved, the meeting being constituted according to the Manual.

The year 1954 was a big one for this Church and Community, during which a large sum of money had to be raised and spent on decorations and furnishings. The Church is to be congratulated for the effort. Reports were read by the treasurer and other officers of the various departments, all showing successful financing and progress in the work of the Church.

Mr. Arthur Pyear, who for 30 years has been a member of the Board of Stewards, thought it was time he retired in favour of the younger men. However, the meeting thought otherwise. Recognizing the service Mr. Pyear has rendered to the Church, he was unanimously elevated to the Session, a very fitting and worthy action following service in the former court.

The accounts reported were, income: Woman's Association, \$1,992; General Account, \$1,110; Sunday School, \$130; Young Adults, \$313; Mission and Maintenance, \$115.

### ROTARIANS HELD MONSTER BINGO TUESDAY NIGHT

"Your presence here this evening is an indication of the splendid support and co-operation that you are lending to Rotary," concluded President Dr. Ralph Vandervoort of the Stirling Rotary Club at their first monster bingo.

The bingo held in the Stirling Community Hall on Tuesday night was the first in a series sponsored by the Club for fund raising in connection with their welfare work in Stirling and community. "Plans are now being made for our next pingo on Tuesday, March 1st, and we are offering an even bigger prize selection at it," stated President Ralph.

#### Prize Winners

The winners of prizes are as follows:

\$5.00 Awards — Mrs. Nicholson, John Craighead, Barney Ingram (3), Wayne McCaughen, Mrs. W. Warren, Mrs. Harold West (2), Isabelle Fox, Pat Coniglio, Ronald Munroe, Mrs. Ken Cooke, Joyce Williams, Mrs. R. A. Patterson, Hazel Guest (2), Mrs. A. Francis, Elaine Wright (2), Elwood Bateman, Mrs. Stewart McCarton, Mrs. Bert Bastedo, John Kerby, Mrs. L. Hatton, Mrs. Earl Fox, Ken Tompkins, Mrs. Lorna Patrick, John Kerby, Mrs. Harry Brooks, Laura Jeffrey, Lester Hay, Mrs. Wm. Webber, Mrs. John Kane, M. R. Martin and Harold Wells.

\$10.00 Awards — Tom McAvoy, John Kerby, Mrs. Francis Jeffrey, S. Meeks and Michael Kerby.

Winner of the final game of the evening, a "Pick-the-Prize" game, was Michael Kerby, of Ivanhoe.

### In Hospital

Friends of Frank Saries, R. R. 2, Stirling, will regret to learn that he was taken to Belleville General Hospital on Sunday, suffering from a heart ailment.

## Stirling Legion Skating Carnival Proves Very Successful Event

Large Crowd Enjoys Good Programme — Skaters Appear in Colourful Costumes

A real snappy winter's night could not keep a good crowd away from the Stirling Legion Skating Carnival on Thursday night of last week at the local arena. A splendid sheet of ice which was thrown open at the commencement, furnished all the skating to be desired.

At 8.15 an exhibition game of Pee Wee hockey between two Stirling teams — the Maple Leafs and the Canadians — rocked the house and ended in a scoreless tie.

#### Many Costumes

Following this the ice was again taken over by the skaters and judging for prizes was undertaken. The best of the delightful costumes seen resulted as follows:

Best dressed lady — Jo. Luery, donated by Bateman's Ladies' Wear  
Best dressed gent — Dr. R. Vandervoort, donated by R. A. Patterson  
Best dressed girl — Rita Andrews, donated by Mrs. A. Stevenson.  
Best dressed boy — Bob Noble, donated by Hatton Hardware  
Best dressed couple — Carl Sleeper and Joan Fraser, donated by Noble's Drug Store  
Best dressed comic — Ted Reynolds, donated by McGee Hardware  
Oldest skater — Fred Mallory, donated by Hermiston's Drug Store  
Youngest skater — Patsy Patterson, 2½ years, donated by Cairns Shoe Store.  
Broom Ball Game Enjoyed

Considerable hilarity was caused by the Broom Ball game between the Legion and Rotary, and this item on the programme was thoroughly enjoyed by all, with the Rotary winning by a 4 to 0 score.

Another period of skating, during which favours were handed out, brought another Carnival evening to a close.

### MONTGOMERY'S GARAGE DAMAGED BY FIRE

Considerable damage was done to the interior of Bill Montgomery's Service Station at the corner of Front Street West and the Frankford road early Monday morning when fire believed caused by overheated pipes, gutted the interior of the building.

The fire was discovered about 2.00 a.m. by Mr. Montgomery, who lives next door to the garage. The Stirling Volunteer Fire Brigade responded to the alarm in a matter of minutes, and under Chief R. E. Fox, fought the blaze in 18 below zero temperature for more than an hour before bringing the blaze under control.

Two cars were pushed from the building, but not before paint and tires on the vehicles were ruined. A quantity of auto accessories stored in the building was lost.

### Presided At Presbytery

Rev. W. H. V. Walker presided at the special meeting of the Kingston Presbytery held in St. Andrew's Church, Belleville, on Tuesday afternoon to deal with a call extended to Rev. R. D. MacLean, B.D., of Huntingdon, Que., by St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Belleville.

### Wellman's W.I. Euchre Party

The Wellman's Women's Institute held a euchre party last Friday night at the Snarr School with five tables in play. Prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies' high, Mrs. Ben Dewey; ladies' low, Mrs. Robert Wallace; men's high, Mr. Robert Wallace; men's low, Keith Clancy. The door prize was won by Keith Clancy.

After the games lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed.

### River Valley W.I. Euchre Party

River Valley Women's Institute sponsored a card party at the school house on Friday evening, January 28th with six tables in play. There were two visitors from Stirling. The prizes were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Irven and the awards were: Ladies' high, Mrs. Ed. Heasman, ladies' second, Mrs. Ina Free; Men's high Charles Moore; Men's second, G. B. Bedford. Happy birthday was sung for Dennie Heasman.

Lunch was served and a social half hour enjoyed.

### St. John's Guild Holds Meeting

The regular business meeting of St. John's Guild was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, February 1st, with a good attendance.

The president, Mrs. B. Woodbeck, opened the meeting with hymn 555. Rev. Secker gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Everett Cooke, Secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. The roll call was answered. Plans were made for the Pancake Tea to be held in St. John's Parish Hall on February 22nd.

Mrs. M. Tanner opened the programme by introducing Miss Louise Harding. Louise gave a very interesting talk on her trip to New York, which was sponsored by the Evening Telegram. Mrs. M. Tanner thanked Louise for her wonderful address. Mr. Secker closed the meeting with prayer.

Lunch was served by Mrs. M. Tanner and Mrs. Edgar Morrow. Mrs. Everett Cooke moved a vote of thanks to Louise Harding, and also for the lunch and all who had made this meeting a success.

### McDonell-Ray Nuptials Saturday

At St. Andrew's Manse, Stirling, on Saturday, January 29th, the marriage took place of Miss Fern Ray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ray, of Foxboro, to Mr. Joseph McDonell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDonell, of Foxboro. Rev. W. H. V. Walker conducted the ceremony in the presence of a number of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Ray, Shannonville, were the attendants.

### Stirling L.O.B.A. Card Party

On Wednesday evening of last week Stirling L.O.B.A. sponsored a card party at the L.O.L. hall with sixteen tables in play. The prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies' high, Mrs. Ross Hermiston; ladies' low, Mrs. Spry; men's high, Angus Johnston; men's low, Douglas Kane. The lucky chair prize was won by Margaret McGee.

A bountiful lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed by all.

### Stirling Midgets Lose To Wellington

The Stirling Midget Shellers went down to a 5 to 2 defeat by Wellington here last Friday night in a very tense and exciting game.

The local pucksters scored two in the first period, Aquino from Hubel and Gay from Austin.

Neither team counted in the second stanza but Wellington received two penalties. Wellington rallied in the third period to take advantage of the locals and whipped in five goals, to make the final count 5 to 2 in favour of the visitors.

Referees Ogilvy and Vandervoort handed out a penalty to each side in the third period.

### Stewards Hold Service At St. Paul's United Church

Christian Living in every day life was the theme of the evening when Dr. Cornett gave the address for the Stewards on Sunday night. Drawing from his experience as a referee in football games, he urged the necessity of knowing the rules of the game.

First, he outlined the duties of those appointed to the office of Steward and then passed on to his main thought. Christian living entails such virtues as kindness, gentility in thought word and deed.

Fifty per-cent of all sickness, said the doctor is due, not to germs, but to people. Actions and attitudes towards others are responsible for more than enough of what we too often put down to germs.

Illustrating from the life of Dr. Albert Schweitzer, the German Missionary to the Africans, who once was interned by the French, Dr. Cornett said Dr. Schweitzer has been honoured by the world, not because he is a great doctor, nor because he is a great accomplished lawyer and musician, but because he is the world's greatest Christian.

Using Rotary's Four Way Test — Is it the truth? Is it fair to all concerned? Will it build goodwill and better friendship? Will it be beneficial to all concerned — Dr. Cornett pleaded for genuine Christian thought and action.

Others taking part in the service were: a good choir composed of Stewards and their ladies, solos by Mrs. Cecil Macklin and Mrs. William Wilkins. The lessons were read by Mr. E. D. Ketcheson and Mr. Harold Wells. Mr. Clare West conducted the service.

Officers of the Board  
At a meeting following the evening service, Dr. William Cornett was re-elected chairman. Mr. E. D. Ketcheson was urged to continue as Secretary, but he felt he should not take on this responsibility for the fourth year. Mr. Gordon Bailey was appointed in his place. Mr. C. A. Wells was re-elected Treasurer.

### Annual Meeting St. John's Church

Annual Vestry Meeting Held — Good Reports Presented — Officers Elected

The annual vestry meeting of St. John's church was held on Monday with a fair attendance. The Rector opened the meeting with prayers and a moment of silence in memory of those who had passed away during the year. In his report the Rector noted that in every respect the parish as well as the congregation, was holding its own, and in some cases a marked increase was shown. He thanked all officers and members for loyal work, and especially thanked all for the many kindnesses shown to the Rector family during the year.

Mr. Earl Morrow, treasurer, presented a full and detailed report showing increases in all givings, as well as added expenses. All accounts have a good balance. The request from Synod for an increase in the Advance Budget was accepted, and it was moved that the Rector receive an amount towards travelling expenses.

The Rector appointed Mr. Geo. Noble as his Warden. Mr. Ray Mal Jory was re-elected People's Warden. Lay delegates to Synod: Mr. J. B. Belshaw, for 2 years; Mr. Glen Morrow, for 3 years. Substitute delegate, Mr. R. B. Bell; Vestry Clerk, Mr. J. Chard; Sidesmen, Messrs. J. B. Belshaw, E. Carr, S. McCarton, H. Wickett, F. Parnell, W. Webber, S. Walker, F. Harding, B. Woodbeck, K. Mumby.

Executive Council: Rector, Wardens, Lay Delegates, Treasurer, Vestry Clerk.

President of Ladies' League, Mrs. M. Tanner; President of Guild, Mrs. B. Woodbeck; President of W.A., Mrs. J. Whitehead; Superintendent of Church School, Mr. F. Houchin; Pres. of Men's Club, Mr. R. Andrews; Reg. Coombes, K. Morrow, F. Parnell, Dr. E. A. Carleton, Mrs. J. Villette; Auditors, Dr. Carleton, Mr. R. B. Bell.

### Boy Scout Assoc. Financial Campaign In Progress

The members of the Group Committee, Messrs. Joe Fellion, Bruce Bell, David Duffin, X. P. Mayhew, R. A. Patterson, Harold Wells and Joe Irish will be canvassing the town, starting February 4th to raise money to carry on the Scout programme.

This year we are asking for more money than ever before. The Group is sponsoring one boy to come from Europe to the Jamboree, the cost of which is fifty dollars and are planning a trip for the boys also. Taking all this into account and with the year's expenses ahead we do hope you will not let us down.

### - COMING EVENTS -

RESERVE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11th, for Annual Stirling High School "At Home". Music by Peter Battman's Orchestra. Dancing 10.00 p.m. to 2.00 a.m. Admission \$3.00 per couple. Refreshments. (Dress optional). 7-3

LAUREL REBEKAH LODGE No. 211 Euchre and Bridge Party, Stirling Community Hall, Wednesday, February 16th at 8.00 p.m. Prizes and refreshments. Admission 50c. 7-3

3-ACT PLAY, "THE MIDDLESONE Maid," by West Huntingdon talent, Stirling Theatre, Tuesday, February 15th, at 8.15 p.m., auspices St. John's Ladies' League. Public School children 35c; adults 50c. 6-3

RESERVE MARCH 9th FOR ST. Andrew's Bake Sale and St. Patrick Tea. 8-1

ANNUAL OYSTER SUPPER AT ST. Mark's Parish Hall, Bonarlaw, on February 9th, 1955 from 6.00 to 8.00 p.m. Adults \$1.25 per plate; children, 50c. Free euchre after supper 8-1

BUCHRE PARTY, LEGION HALL, Wednesday, February 9th at 8.00 p.m. Admission 35c; lunch served. Sponsored by St. James Catholic Women's League. 8-1p

COME ONE, COME ALL TO THE Pancake Tea, on Tuesday, February 22nd at 5.30, under the auspices of St. John's Guild. Adults 75c, Children 35c. 8-10



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"Usually it's only about five or six months after an eligible male starts dating me, sparing

no affection (and making vague promises) that the friendship goes haywire. I feel he grows bored — which of course makes me self-conscious and unable to converse on impersonal topics like world affairs, sports and other subjects that interest men and interest me, too.

"Then I can only deplore the things I will never have — a husband, a home and children.

"I am a professional young woman, and certainly should be a more interesting companion than a housewife who can only talk food prices, children, and what new clothes or jewelry she can coax from her husband. . . . Here I wait, hoping the right one will come along before I'm too old to care.

"Men only seem to be out for what they can get, someone to practice love-making on (as one reader put it) so they'll know how to proceed when their true love arrives.

"Do you think there is a destiny that controls our lives? That no matter how desperately one tries to change a situation it is to no avail? That perhaps my particular destiny is never to have what all women want and most of them get — a man of their own?"

**ONE LONELY WOMAN**  
\* Fatalists seem to believe that what is to be will be, and are convinced that it is futile to struggle against one's predestination. I am not one of those.

\* When a woman knows what she wants, I think she should lay her plans to get it. First, to deserve it and prepare for it, then use her ingenuity and common sense to pursue the search. Successive experiences with the male sex show her what not to do, and if she is honest in admitting mistakes she makes fewer of them.

\* Frank analysis of one's failures is a help, too.  
\* Many a girl yields to a man's love-making early, shows a too-fervent eagerness to oblige him. This isn't smart, for he concludes he is not the first male in her life and the idea revolts him. Other young women snub a man with such hostility that he believes her incapability of emotion. He can, however, be repulsed so graciously that he feels he does appeal to her but she has too much self-respect to stoop to conquer.

\* Some professional women assume an arrogance that is anathema to romance. Positive in personality, they cannot discuss any topic without showing how superior they feel. They forget that womanliness, a willingness to listen



HOME WAS NEVER LIKE THIS — "Annabelle," a six-year-old orangutan from Borneo, pours herself some hot tea to warm up her inside while straw and a muffler help keep her warm on the outside. Annabelle is having trouble with London's extremely cold weather.

\* and learn, judicious flattery and a sense of humor can still bring a man to his knees, just as a cozy dinner she prepares can dissolve a bachelor's will power. When a man is low and out of sorts, he turns to the girl he feels at home with — one who asks questions, fits his mood like a glove, who is sympathetic and tender at the right moment. She is the woman he wants to come home to, and that is the keynote of his feeling for her.

\* Examine yourself as though you were somebody else, honestly, critically. Perhaps that will reveal what is lacking in your personality. One suggestion: It is smart to date more than one man at a time; it keeps both on their toes.

\* When a girl has had your experience of failure and almost given up hope and then suddenly the right man appears, we like to call it destiny. — And then how grateful she is that all the other men passed her by!

\* Never give up hope. Your most comforting thought should be that we cannot know what tomorrow will bring.

If you feel that love and life are passing you by, cheer up! Tomorrow is another day, and its adventures are hidden to us. Keep yourself in the mood for romance, and don't despair. It may help to write to Anne Hirst. Address her at Box 1, 123 Eighteenth St., New Toronto, Ont.

### See The Water's Really Boiling

Ask a housewife if she knows how to make a good cup of Tea and she'll laugh and say, "But you're joking, of course." Ask a restaurateur if he serves a good cup of Tea. Without doubt he will answer in the affirmative. Yet, surprisingly enough, in many restaurants and in some homes, a pale watery liquid masquerades under the name of Tea, although a good cup of Tea is a very refreshing and enjoyable beverage.

Using water that has not come to a bubbly boil and being too impatient to let it brew for 5

minutes are the two biggest faults which result in a poor cup of Tea. Tea is an aristocrat — it refuses to be rushed — but give it proper yet simple attention and it will give you its best.

Not so very long ago a Tea taster in the United States disparagingly referred to the inability of many American women to boil water! Whilst his remarks were ridiculed, there is some justification for his scathing comment! Did you know for example that boiling water has to reach a temperature of 212 degrees and that the perfect cup of Tea is made only when fresh water has been brought to a furious bubbly boil? If the teapot isn't heated first, even boiling water will drop as many as 20 degrees after it has been poured into the teapot. You do not get the full flavour and aroma from Tea's delicate oils and minerals unless it has been brewed for a full 5 minutes.

There's no problem in making a really good cup of Tea. Here are the simple, basic steps which, if followed, will result in outstanding flavour and a cup of Tea you will be proud of.

1. Use a warmed crockery teapot.
  2. Put in 1 teaspoon for each person and 1 for the pot.
  3. Add fresh, bubbly, boiling water.
  4. Allow to brew for 5 minutes.
- \* Tea Bags — one tea bag for each two cups.

### CHRONICLES OF GINGER FARM by Gwendolyn P. Clarke

Well now, I suppose I must tear myself away from the book I am reading long enough to get this column done — and then I shall return to my book without delay. What book? It is called "Doctor to the Islands" by Tom and Lydia Davis. The "islands" being the Cook Islands in the South Seas. It is a true narrative giving the experience of Dr. Davis and his wife during a seven-year stay at Rarotonga, the largest one in the Cook group of islands, where Dr. Davis was appointed as Medical Officer of Health. It gives striking examples of what happens when man-made intervention upsets the balance of nature. For instance there were many large mango and chestnut trees on the island which were always left standing even though younger trees were cut down. Then in 1935 along came a Government agricultural "expert." He had previously worked in South Africa and was under the impression that the same agricultural principles should apply to both countries. So he ordered the huge old trees to be cut down on the ground that their great spreading roots were draining nourishment from the soil. The natives did as they were told although they knew that the tree roots shook and moved in the tropical storms, loosening the soil better than a plough could have done, while shade from the trees gave shelter to the "low crops." The trees were destroyed and as a result the crops were alternately bleached by the sun and washed out by the rain. Then came the order to prune the orange trees. That, too, was a grave mistake as according to Dr. Davis, in this region of tropical hurricanes, nature does her own pruning and the trees survive, whereas the trees that were pruned with clippers died within a few weeks.

The story of the island is, of

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### Painting Pointers

A paint roller must be cleaned carefully after use if it is to do a satisfactory job the next time. But cleaning can be a messy business. Here's a tidy and effective method. After using oil paint, squeeze the excess paint out of the roller by rolling it in the empty pan. Then put it in an empty polythene bag — the kind the groceries come in, but make sure it is one without holes. Then you can squeeze the roller by hand, working out the remaining paint. Rinse the roller in a pan of turpentine, mineral spirits or other thinner, repeating until clean. After painting with latex-base paints, clean the roller in lukewarm water.

The best way to mix paint is to use two cans. Pour off the top liquid from the new can of paint and stir the sticky solids in the bottom of the can. Then pour the two back and forth from one can to the other several times. Keep an extra paint pail in the house for this purpose.

Be careful when painting anything which has had wax on it. Paint will not adhere to wax and in no time it will peel and chip. Scrub the surface first with soap and water, then give it a good rubbing with turpentine to remove every trace of wax. If any gloss still remains, rub it lightly with fine sandpaper. Be sure the surface is thoroughly dry before you paint.

whole works. What added charm to my attractive footwear was the fact that one sock was bright blue with red tops and the other light grey — they were the only ones in my mending basket that didn't need darning. Fortunately no one came along the road when I was getting the mail from the box!

Apart from the ice I had a wonderful time last week. Spent nearly a whole day gathering up old Christmas cards in answer to the appeal for such cards to be left at Honeydew Restaurants in Toronto. (The time limit is past now.) Then I went to work on a whole lot of papers and magazines for the Boy Scouts. After awhile we shall be able to move around at Ginger Farm!

### LONG YEARS AGO

Albert — "You've had your radio a long time."  
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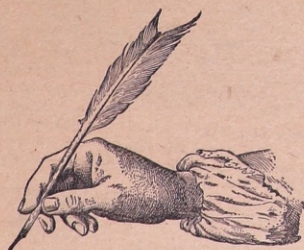
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### Bonarlaw

Mr. and Mrs. Jack O'Connor, of Marmora, visited Mrs. O'Connor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Matthews on Sunday.

We are sorry to report, Mrs. Jason Baker is a patient in the Belleville General Hospital. We sincerely wish for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Glendinning and daughter, Ann, of Stirling, visited Mrs. Wellman and Charlie on Sunday.

Mr. Simon Matthews celebrated a birthday anniversary on Monday.

A large number attended the W.I. meeting at the home of Mrs. W. J. Barlow on Wednesday.

### St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid

The January meeting of St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid was held on Thursday, January 27th at the home of Mrs. Percy Craighead. Due to the stormy weather, the members from the country were not able to be present. Mrs. A. Greenley acted as president for the meeting. Mrs. C. Rollins and Mrs. Craighead assisted with the lunch. The meeting opened with the singing of the hymn, "Work for the Night is Coming". Mrs. Harper Rollins read the Scripture from that chapter of Romans that outlines the way of life we should each try to follow as we start the New Year — Romans XII. All members joined in repeating the Lord's Prayer.

The minutes were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Hermiston, reviewing the work of the past year.

Miss Gena Spry gave an encouraging

financial report. Although the Society worked without a president, the group convenors took charge of several events, raising funds to redecorate the church during the past year.

Plans were made to hold an Irish Stew Congregational Supper on February 23rd. During the day quilts will be at work. All the ladies are to plan to be present during the day, the menfolk and children coming for supper. On March 9th there will be a St. Patrick's Tea and Bake Sale.

The meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction. Lunch was served, and a social time enjoyed. Mrs. Hermiston moved a vote of thanks to the ladies, and she also thanked the convenors, Mrs. A. Greenley and Mrs. C. Rollins.

### Bethel United Church Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Bethel United Church was held on Tuesday evening, January 18th in the church hall with about thirty-five enjoying a delicious pot luck supper.

Following the supper, Rev. W. G. Fletcher called the meeting to order and opened the worship service with the singing of hymn, "Rise Up, O Men of God", followed by the Scripture reading and prayer.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the secretary, Mrs. Don Heath, which were approved as read. Mr. Fletcher gave a report re the Hurricane Relief. He also paid tribute to the late B. C. Tucker and

Mrs. John Scott, and one minute's silence was observed, followed by prayer.

The reports of the various organizations were presented and all reported a substantial balance on hand. The election of officers then took place as follows:

Honorary Elders — Chas. Morton, James Warren, C. M. Sine, Leslie Thompson, John Scott.

Active Elders — Edgar McKeown, Walter Warren, W. N. Heath, Stewart Hoover.

Stewards — W. N. Heath, Stewart Brady, Harold Elliott, Edgar McKeown, Gordon Green, Walter Warren, C. M. Sine, Stewart Hoover, Don Thompson, John Mulhern.

Secretary — Mrs. Ray Sine. Treasurer General Fund — Harold Elliott.

Church Accountant — Mrs. W. N. Heath.

M. and M. Treasurer — Edgar McKeown.

Auditors — Ray Sine, Walter Warren.

Cub Committee — Walter Warren, W. N. Heath, Don Thompson, Gordon Green.

Parsonage Committee — Edgar McKeown, Mrs. T. E. Laycock.

Collector of Records — Don Heath. Trustees — Walter Warren, Stewart Hoover, Edgar McKeown.

Cemetery Board — Walter Warren, Leslie Thompson, Ray Sine, W. N. Heath.

Church pianist and choir leader —

Mrs. Harold Elliott.

Assistant — Mrs. W. N. Heath. Sunday School Superintendent — Mrs. Don Heath.

Ushers — W. N. Heath, Don Heath, Stewart Hoover, Gordon Green, Walter Warren.

Caretaker — Edgar McKeown. Leaders Girls' Club — Mrs. Stewart Hoover, Mrs. Don Heath.

At this time, Rev. W. G. Fletcher spoke on the United Church Observer encouraging each family to have it in their home. No action was taken at present regarding subscription.

Mrs. John Mulhern tendered a vote of thanks to Mrs. Don Heath for services rendered as Sunday School Superintendent. Rev. W. G. Fletcher closed the meeting with prayer.

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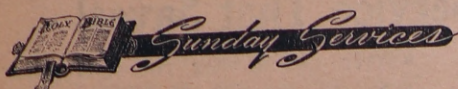
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## At Local Churches February 6th, 1955

**St. Andrew's**  
**Presbyterian Church**  
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

Stirling  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Church School

West Huntingdon  
2.30 p.m.—Church School  
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service

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St. John's, Stirling  
10.00 a.m.—Church School  
11.00 a.m.—Holy Eucharist

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



**STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL**  
**CHARGE**

Rev. Arthur Packman, Minister

St. Paul's  
10.00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class  
11.00 a.m.—The Satisfied Man  
7.30 p.m.—St. Paul's visit to Carmel

Carmel  
2.00 p.m.—Church School  
2.45 p.m.—Church Service  
7.30 p.m.—Service conducted by St. Paul's

**Rawdon Circuit**  
**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

11.00 a.m.—Bethel  
2.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant  
7.00 Sunday School at Wellman's  
8.00 Wellman's Church Service

## Mount Pleasant

A quilting was held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Gordon Linn and eight ladies were in attendance. A quilt for Mrs. Grant Hubble was completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard, Mr. and Mrs. James Hoard and Gordon are holidaying in Florida.

Mr. Claude Sharp is a patient in Belleville Hospital.

Flight Cadet Dick Knapp who has spent two weeks at London, Ont., was transferred on Friday to Centralia for a twelve-week course. Dick passed

successfully at London.

Mrs. G. W. Hagerman is a patient in The Green Nursing Home, where she was taken on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketcheson, of Phillipston, are spending some time with their nephew, Robert Hoard.

The W.M.S. will hold their meeting on February 9th at the home of Mrs. Douglas Campbell.

Mr. James Menzies returned to his home last Monday and is slowly recuperating from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams, Mrs. Carman Reid, Dianne and Karen visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Emerson, of

## GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, January 30th, 1955

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper  
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q.

7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

**SPEAKER**  
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8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

## STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY SERVICES

Sunday —  
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11.00 a.m.—Worship Service  
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

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Mrs. Albert Dunkley is spending some time with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Moran, Frankford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jeffs on Sunday.

## Minto

St. Thomas W.A. held a dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. Percy Ray on Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Belcour, of Belleville, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colden.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Heath were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Colden and Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Colden, of Springbrook, were last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Myall, of Peterboro.

Mrs. Anne Reid, of Belleville, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Vance.

Mr. and Mrs. John Courtney and family were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Annie Clements, of Ivanhoe.

Mr. Will Courtney is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Preston Courtney, of Brockville.

## Wellman's

Mr. Fred King, spent a few days with relatives in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stacey, and Miss Stella Fletcher, of Trenton, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and boys, were tea guests on Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock and Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Teal and family, of Colbourne, were tea guests on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and Mrs. Charles Dunham visited on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Warren and children of Corbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham, erborough were tea guests on Sunday with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mr. and Alex Green and Mrs. Green of Campbellford, were tea guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham, Doris and Shirley, were tea guests on Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and boys.

## Rylstone

Stanley Finch has been transferred from Campbellford Memorial Hospital to Belleville General Hospital.

Supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family and Mrs. Lizzie Thomson, on Friday evening were, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McKeown, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Victor Irwin, Campbellford; Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown, Springbrook; and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Irwin, Rylstone.

Jack and Margaret Spencer visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husband at Napanee, on Sunday.

Mrs. Essie Reid spent Friday at the home of her brother, Bill Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mumby, Springbrook, were Sunday supper guests of their niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer and family.

Miss Blanche Gibson, of Campbellford was a week end visitor with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Heath and family. Congratulations to Mrs. Adeline Rutherford, of Campbellford, formerly of Rylstone, who on Saturday attained her 90th birthday, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Flossie Scott, Front St., Campbellford. We wish

her good health and happiness in the coming years.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and children were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomson and Andrew, of 12th Line.

Our Road Men did a good job on the roads after the recent snow storm. Temperatures in our vicinity on Saturday morning went as low as 20 degrees below zero.

Mrs. Lizzie Thomson is spending some time with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Logne, of Foxboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Fitchett and Ross, of Campbellford, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Reid and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sine and family, of Sine, and Mrs. Essie Reid were visitors on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walt Reid and Geordie.

Mrs. Stella Gibson is spending a few days with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Elliott, of West Huntingdon.

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Mrs. Fred Barnum and her former Sunday School Class spent Tuesday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Stollery. This was a surprise birthday party for Mrs. Barnum. A birthday cake, decorated with lighted candles, was placed before her at the supper table and a gift presented to her. A very pleasant time was spent at this gathering.

Mr. Geo. Anderson, of Milliken, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Watson this week.

Mr. Hector Arnold, vice-president of Cheese Producers' Marketing Board has returned home after spending some time in the West on business. He also visited his sister in British Columbia.

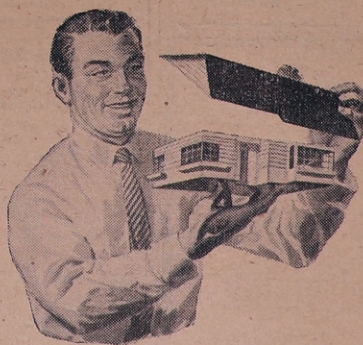
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### Birth

ZUIDEMA — At the Sine Maternity Home, Harold, Ont., on Monday, January 31st, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. John Zuidema, Stirling R.R. 4, a daughter, Fanny Alice.

### Married

DOBBIE — HOLTZMAN — On January 29th, 1955, in North Broadway United Church, Toronto, the marriage was quietly solemnized between Beulah Melinda Holtzman, of Toronto, and Mr. Angus Edward Dobbie, of Smiths Falls. The Rev. Eugene Beech, B.A., officiated.

### Death

McCUTCHEON, Mary Ellen — At her home, Mill Street Stirling, on Monday, January 31st, 1955, Mary Ellen Crosby, widow of George B. McCutcheon, in her 85th year.

Resting at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, from where the funeral will be held on Friday, February 4th, at 2.30 p.m.

Entombment in Stirling Vault.

### In Memoriam

SPRY — In loving memory of a dear niece, Ruth (Danford) Spry, who passed away ten years ago, February 2nd, 1945.

What would I give to clasp her hand.  
Her happy face to see,  
To hear her voice,  
And see her smile  
That meant so much to me.

— Sadly missed by Aunt Lena.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to all my old neighbours and friends and River Valley W. I. for the lovely plant and birthday cake presented to me on my 95th birthday also for cards and greetings from everyone. A special "thank you" to Dr. Packman and Mrs. Packman, who were also present at the birthday party.

Mrs. Wm. Hanna,

8-1p Trenton, Ont.

I would also like to express my sincere appreciation to those who visited my mother on the occasion of her 95th birthday.

Jared Hanna

### CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to our friends and neighbours for their many acts of kindness, for flowers, cards and messages of sympathy in our bereavement. Also thanks to the pall bearers to Mr. Duffin and Mr. Faires for their thoughtful services; Mr. W. E. Belch for his message and Mr. and Mrs. Broadworth for their message in song.

8-1p Olive and Everett Elliott

### CARD OF THANKS

Grateful appreciation to Springbrook United Church, Sunday School and C.G.I.T. Girls, Marmora L.O.B.A. 600, Stirling High School and Staff, friends, neighbours and relatives for their kindness expressed in words, cards and flowers when they were so deeply appreciated during our recent bereavement in the loss of a loving daughter and sister.

Mrs. Esther Leonard and family,  
8-1p Springbrook

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincerest thanks to members of the Stirling Fire Brigade and all others who assisted in any way at the time of the fire in my garage.

8-1p Bill Montgomery

### CARD OF THANKS

A sincere "thank you" to all those who sent me flowers, fruit, cards and those who called on me during my stay in Belleville General Hospital. A special "thank you" to the nurses and staff in 2nd East.

8-1p J. C. Gay

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### St. Mark's, Bonarlaw Vestry Meeting

St. Mark's Anglican Church held its vestry meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mumby, on Monday, Canon J. M. Brownlie led the devotional period and expressed his thanks and appreciation to the Wardens, president of the W.A., Sunday School and members of the congregation for their co-operation in a very happy and successful year.

In his parochial report, Canon Brownlie reported eleven marriages and four funerals. He expressed gratitude to the organist, Mrs. Jason Baker, who is a patient in the hospital and asked that a letter be sent to her, thanking her for her faithful services.

The financial statement was given by Wardens, Mr. Stanley Kitchener, Rector's Warden and Mr. E. Heath, People's Warden, with a bank balance \$168.75. Mrs. Jennie Wellman reported for the W.A. with a balance on hand of \$361.21. Mrs. Neal gave the Sunday School report.

The officers for the year are: W. J. Barlow, Vestry Clerk; Stanley Kitchener, Rector's Warden; E. Meath, People's Warden; George Mumby, Lay delegate; Mrs. J. Wellman, Sunday School Superintendent; Mrs. Wm. J. Barlow, Mrs. George Mumby, Mrs. Everett Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Neal, Mrs. E. Matthews, Ernest Stiles and Wm. Neal, auditors.

A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Mumby and Mrs. Barlow.

### Incipient Alcoholism

Incipient alcoholism can be recognized and forestalled long before a drinker reaches the "problem" stage, according to the Alcoholism Committee of the Health League of Canada. However, the committee points out, the only way alcoholism can be tackled from a preventive point of view is through intensive campaigns of public education such as are carried on by the League.

The message of the Alcoholism Committee is presented in the current Health Conservation page, a regular feature in Health magazine. Not only alcoholics, but incipient alcoholics as well as non-drinkers who might find themselves in a position where they can be helpful, need to be educated in the facts of alcoholism before Canada can make any marked headway in the prevention of this disease. Well-meaning but ill-informed efforts to help often can do more harm than good, the committee points out.

A large number of alcoholics do not seek treatment until after they have reached the "gutter" stage, and by this time they have not only the problem of breaking from alcohol but the almost impossible job of picking up the broken pieces of their lives. An alcoholic who has reached this stage is likely to have lost his family, his friends, his job and his money.

However it is unnecessary for a drinker to reach the "gutter stage" to convince himself that he is one of

those who cannot drink. There are a number of clear warning signals in the early stages of alcoholism, when a drinker is still a responsible job holder, family man and social individual, which indicate that any further continuation of drinking can only lead, more or less rapidly, to the "gutter stage" of chronic alcoholism. These signals include frequent "blackouts" without marked intoxication, a tendency to gulp the first two drinks, a dislike for social affairs where alcoholic beverages are not served, a tendency to sneak extra drinks at parties where the liquor is flowing too slowly or to fortify oneself with two or three stiff shots before going to such a party. These signs, when they all appear together with enough frequency to make up a regular pattern, indicate the need for a break with alcohol. This break is not difficult at this stage, but it becomes increasingly more difficult in the following stages.

The Alcoholism Committee of the Health League points out that it is in need of voluntary contributions in order to finance its educational service to the people of Canada. With sufficient funds, the committee estimates, it can turn the tide of alcoholism in Canada, which is at present increasing in prevalence from year to year.



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Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley, Donna and Lyn were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMullen.

Rev. and Mrs. Chapman and Patsy, Thomasburg, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clancy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett attended the supper and Annual Board meeting at Moira United Church, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley and Lyn were callers Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid, Marilyn and Grant were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Blakely, of Tweed, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clancy and Lloyd were Sunday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Merrick, Mount Pleasant.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges and Mrs. Maurice Clancy attended a parsonage meeting on Monday evening at the parsonage in Thomasburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid, Marilyn and Grant were Sunday supper guests of Mrs. John Lawrenson, Tweed.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen and Grant were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. George McMullen and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges attended a meeting at the parsonage, Thomasburg, Sunday evening.

Miss Audrey Stapley is a guest at

the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clancy.

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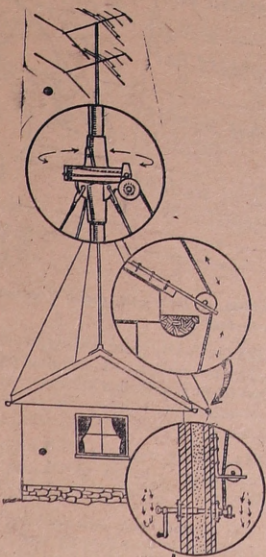
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attendance. Grace Clarke presided. Tom Bridges read the Scripture lesson and Joanne Reide offered prayer. Plans were made for a skating party to be held early in February.

### Card Party

There were eight tables in play at the regular Friday evening Euchre Party at the school house.

The prizes were donated by Mr. George McMullen and Mr. Murney Stapley and were awarded as follows: Men's high, Murney Stapley; men's low, George McMullen; Ladies' high, Annamae Clarke; ladies' low, Mrs. Clarence Fitchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Forde Stapley and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers, Mount Pleasant.

### Allan's Mill

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tice, Trenton, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. Burkitt, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burkitt and family spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt.

Several attended the shower at Stanwood in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Brunton.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug. Brunton, of Campbellford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomson.

Mrs. Jason Baker is undergoing treatment in Belleville Hospital.

Mr. J. Coen is a patient in Kingston Hospital.

### Springbrook

A large crowd attended the Minstrel Show and pie social held in the hall on Thursday evening. This was sponsored by the Women's Institute. The show was put on by a group of talented folks from Marmora and was very much enjoyed by all, as was the pie, coffee and sandwiches served by the ladies, following the programme.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Johnson returned home on Saturday after enjoying a motor trip to Florida.

Mr. Malcolm Mason attended the Chrysler Service School held at MacLean Motors, Trenton, for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid and Janet visited relatives in Oshawa on Sunday.

Mrs. Esther Leonard and Paul spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Crawford in Peterboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Barton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tucker and family, Stirling, on Sunday.

Mrs. Fred McKeown entertained about fifteen ladies to a Wearover brush party on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Fox and family were guests of Mrs. Myrtle Cassidy and Beth on Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Bain, Belleville, was a recent week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Runnalls.

### Mount Pleasant

#### MISSION BAND

The Sunbeam Mission Band convened at the church Sunday morning following Sunday School. Marilyn McConnell presided and Raeburn Scott gave his report. The new leader, Mrs. Ed. Richardson, gave the first chapter of the Study Book on India, entitled, "Fig Tree Village".

The retiring leader, Miss Ruth Linn installed the following slate of officers: President, Gail Jeffs; Vice-President, Dianne McAdam; Secretary, Gail Scott; Treasurer, Carol Sharpe; Pianist, Eleanor Smith; Assistant, Ina Scott.

The service closed with the singing of "The Wise Men Bring Their Learning".



## THE Calvert SPORTS COLUMN



by Elmer Ferguson

• André Binette is a hockey goaler, though perhaps not a very good one. Also, he is just a little boy; a very little boy indeed, compared to the giants of major hockey. He weighs only 133 pounds. Yet little André Binette has written into the saga of hockey when he was called on in a sudden emergency by a National Hockey League team.

The night of November 11 Canadiens were drilling in the usual fashion before playing Chicago Black Hawks. Jacques Plante, the hawk-faced goaler was in the nets, casually batting away the shots his mates were tossing his way. The shots were easy for the swift-moving Plante to handle. Easy, that is, until one streaking drive took a sudden sharp curve and the frozen puck, travelling at bullet speed, crashed into his face. He fell head-foremost onto the ice. His cheek-bone was shattered by the impact.

Canadiens had two spare goalers. One was out of the city, with Roy's team. The other was down at Providence. So, suddenly, the League leaders found themselves with no goaler at all. Then someone recalled that little André Binette, spare net-minder for a junior team, was in the house. Quickly, he was found. He was asked to play: "No, no," he protested at first, bewildered by it all. "It would not be fair to Canadiens. I am so small."

But in the end, he consented to fill the gap as best he could. He was hurried to the dressing-room, equipped with the big pads left behind by the 175-pound Plante, pads which hung almost ludicrously from the little fellow's skimpy frame. He shambled out on the ice, shaking with nervous tension, weighted down by the over-size gear — his own was in a sports shop, being cut down.

But his moment of glory has come and he rose to meet it. Hawks pelted him with shots. One got by because his leg pads struck his chest when he bent over and he couldn't reach down to stop the puck, sliding along the ice. Four shots beat him in all. Canadiens imagination caught fire. "We can't let the kid down" was their battle-cry, and they fired seven goals, equalling their highest total of the year, past Rollins in the Chicago wire.

So for little André Binette, as he lurched wearily down the ice, a dream had suddenly come true. He had his night of glory. Probably he will never play in the National League again. But he had his game, and won it, and his name will be inscribed in the all-time records as one of those hockey rarities — a goaler who batted 1,000 percent.

Your comments and suggestions for this column will be welcomed by Elmer Ferguson, c/o Calvert House, 431 Yonge St., Toronto.

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### Man Builds Home Beehive-shaped

A man who has kept bees in New Plymouth, New Zealand, for 34 years has finally built a "beehive" for himself.

From his long experience as beekeeper, George Brewster has discovered that bees knew what they were doing when they chose the hexagon as a basis for hive construction.

And since it was good enough for the bees, it was good enough for Mr. Brewster, "something

superior," he said, "to man-made right angles." So he built a house of no right angles, using the hexagon as the basis of measurements and design.

Hence, Mr. Brewster has come up with something unique in the history of prefabricated construction. The benefits are manifold, he said. For the hexagon, he added, provides greater floor space for relative wall space, greater storage capacity, and far greater strength for the construction unit.

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Mr. Brewster has reduced the materials used to 18 standard parts which can be factory-cut and mass produced.

Many of the parts make use of smaller waste pieces of timber that ordinarily drift from the orthodox construction job into the scrap heap. All the wall units have a laminated frame, lined on the inside with hexagonal sections, each built around three diamond shapes and finished on the outside with a sheathing of rough-cast plaster.

Mr. Brewster's own house consists of seven equal-sized rooms or units, all opening from a central hall and joined by quaintly shaped archways which can be curtained or fitted with sliding doors.

The only discordant note to Mr. Brewster is the rectangular bath, but the plumber just could not bring himself to follow the suggestion to "knock the corners off."

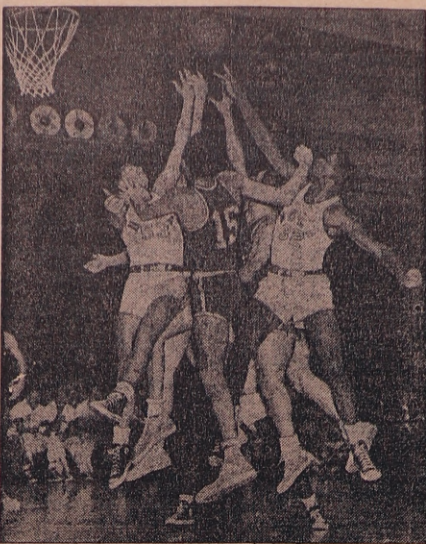
Mrs. Brewster, who shares her husband's enthusiasm for this "beehive" style of living, finds their home a joy to keep in order.



**EMPTY POCKETS**—The solution to the problem of how to keep that well-pressed look is in the brief case. John Barbieri, tailor, says that a brief case tailored to match the suit could well take the load usually carried in the average businessman's 10-16 (count 'em) pockets.



**"UNDER" NOURISHED**—Nourished under water, that is. Pauline Ady and Barry Blair, framed by a part of their diving tank at an exhibition in London, England, demonstrate that you can have a snack while enjoying the growing sport of skin-diving. Bananas are a made-to-order food for underwater lunch; liquids may be carried in plastic, compressible containers and squirted into the mouth. Spectator is Carol Parr.



**MERRY-GO-ROUND**—Fast try for the ball by nearly all concerned produced this merry-go-mixup of the Dayton Flyers (dark uniforms) and UCLA during a recent court struggle. UCLA caught the brass ring; won 104-92.

### Stars and Planets

Stars and planets look very much alike, although they are actually entirely different kinds of bodies. Stars are huge balls of extremely hot and glowing gas, like our own sun. Planets are much smaller than most stars and are more or less like the earth, for they have no light or heat of their own. The planets shine brilliantly in the sky simply because they reflect the light of the sun, somewhat as a mirror might. While there are countless trillions of stars, we know definitely of only nine planets, and all of these belong to the sun's family.

On a clear night the sky is full of stars. Since the planets are constantly moving around the sun, some of these bodies may be in the night-time sky where we can see them among the stars, and some of them may be in the daytime sky where we can not see them because of the sunlight. At times when some of the planets are shining among the stars, it may be difficult to know which are planets and which are stars.

We have already seen that stars twinkle because their light is bent in various ways by the

differently heated layers of atmosphere. Planets do not twinkle, ordinarily, but seem to shine with a steady, unwavering light. Even through large telescopes, the biggest stars appear simply as tiny points of light, while the planets show very definite discs and surfaces. Hence, more rays come to us from the surface of a planet than from the surface of a star. The light from the planets does not waver as much as that from the stars because the wavering of one ray of light is counteracted by the wavering of another ray in another direction.

Planets can also be picked out by noticing that over a period of time they change their positions against the background of the stars. The word planet means wanderer. Through the year, the planets can be seen traveling against the starry sky. The stars, on the other hand, seem to remain fixed in relation to each other.

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## .. PLAIN HORSE SENSE ..

By F. (BOB) VON PILIS

A strong plea for a clear-cut agricultural policy was made a few days ago in the House of Commons by F. S. Zaplitzny (member for Dauphin, Man.).

Mr. Zaplitzny said that he wanted to repeat the statement that had been made so often by members of all parties "that agriculture is entitled to its fair share of the national income. He said that he was not going to ask for "hand-outs" or "preferred treatment," but wanted to outline "a policy which will, as near as it is possible to do so, bring to agriculture its fair share of the national income."

**Supports Forward Prices**

He quoted a resolution carried at a recent convention of the Manitoba Farmers Union which calls for the establishment by the federal government of "a policy of forward pricing on all agricultural commodities, which would bear a 95-per cent parity relationship to other goods and services, thus bringing about stability in agriculture and strengthen our whole economy."

The honourable member for Dauphin came out strongly in support of this resolution from which he evolved a number of necessary measures, the first and foremost of which is a system of marketing boards.

He asked for assistance to those provinces which are now trying to organize livestock marketing boards with the ultimate aim of setting up a national livestock marketing board.

More important still was the establishment of floor prices for livestock products, which Mr. Zaplitzny submitted was a matter beyond the financial possibilities of any one province and a responsibility of the federal government.

**Two Price System.**

Mr. Zaplitzny went on to discuss what is called, in the opinion of this writer erroneously so, a two price system; in other words one set price for the home market and lower competitive prices for export. He explained

that this was regular practice as far as industry is concerned.

This column has always pronounced the idea of setting commodity prices for home consumption and to export any "surpluses" at world prices. The question to be answered is whether this should be done by the government or by the farmers themselves through their own marketing agencies.

**Price Spreads Investigation**

The honourable member also urged the government to investigate the spreads of prices between producer and consumer. He produced figures which show that wheat for which the farmer received 96 cents at \$1.25 costs \$7.23 when retailed in the form of bread. Oats for which the farmer received 20 to 52 cents per bushel bring \$3.62 a bushel when turned into rolled oats for human consumption. Barley for which the farmers are paid 50 to 92 cents a bushel, is worth \$4.32 in the form of dry malt, and if turned into liquid malt as much as \$9.

**For the People of Canada**

Mr. Zaplitzny ended his speech with an appeal to national pride, genuine love of the Canadian soil, the appreciation of the possibilities in our country and the knowledge of the greater things that can be done for the benefit of the people of Canada.

It would be useful for farmers to study this speech and to discuss the proposed policies at their meetings.

This column welcomes criticism, constructive or destructive, and suggestions, wise or otherwise; it will endeavour to answer any questions. Address mail to Bob Von Pilis, Whitby, Ont.

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According to foot doctors, however, there may be some merit to Junior's complaints. The doctors say that Junior's feet are probably worse off than Grandpa's ever were. Why? Well, Grandpa's parents knew more about foot care than we do — his generation did a great deal more walking and thus were more conscious of shoes and foot comfort.

Today's youngsters do a lot of their daily travel in cars and buses, and parents are apt to neglect their feet — which is why school health examinations turn up the fact that far too many children are wearing unsuitable and outgrown shoes. The pair you bought Junior in the Fall may still have a lot of wear in them, but chances are they're cramping his feet as he steps out in 1955 — and that can be the beginning of foot troubles that can plague him all his life.

With four months of school and rough play behind them, midwinter is a good time to check your children's shoes if you want them to walk into the new school term on healthy feet.

And be sure to take a little extra time and care when you buy Junior new shoes, specially as far as fit and materials are concerned. Make certain that the soles are made of flexible leather that bends easily with the foot.

But no matter how much your youngster likes a particular style, don't let him leave the store in badly fitting shoes. Have his feet measured standing up — they'll spread naturally with his weight on them. The proper length allows three-quarters of an inch between his big toe and the tip of the shoe. You can be certain the width is correct if the upper leather across the toes can be humped up slightly between your fingers. The heel fit should be snug, with no up-and-down slipping as he walks.

See that Junior tries on both shoes and walks around the store in them to check for comfort. Sometimes one foot is slightly larger than the other, and he should be fitted for the larger one.

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week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Brooke, of Oshawa.

Mrs. Ted Chant and son, Gary, of Hampton were dinner guests on Tuesday of Mr. Jerry Marshall. They came by plane and made their landing on Oak Hill Lake.

day), after spending ten days with Mrs. J. H. Beatty, "Hillsholme."

Miss Pearl Mudd spent Saturday in Campbellford with her father, Mr. Henry Mudd, on the occasion of her 19th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patterson and granddaughter Judy, are spending this week-end in Toronto.

Mr. Bob Bird, of the RCAF, Eganville, is spending his leave with his grandmother, Mrs. W. S. Bird.

Mrs. Clarence Rollins spent a day last week in Toronto visiting her sister, Mrs. Stan Roblin.

Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Dickson and Carol, of Hamilton, were recent week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warren.

Mrs. Muriel McKee Croft, of Woodstock, was a guest of Mrs. Geo. E. Green the past week-end, enroute to Florida with Miss Lorraine Burke, Reg. N., of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Green and Mr. Jim McDonald, spent a day in Toronto recently visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. F. Hoard, who is a patient in the Toronto General Hospital.

## Celebrates 89th Anniversary

On Friday, January 28th, Mr. Hiram Ashley, the oldest resident in the Madoc Junction community celebrated his 89th birthday. Mr. Ashley is in fairly good health and enjoys visiting with his friends, listening to the radio and reading.

During the afternoon, a pleasant time was enjoyed when Mrs. Warren Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bridges, Mrs. Maurice Clancy and Lloyd, Mrs. Charles Stapley and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett, representing Eggleton Sunday School called at his home. Several favourite hymns were sung, with Mrs. M. Clancy playing the accompaniment on her guitar. Mrs. Harlow read the 34th Psalm after which Mrs. Bridges led in prayer.

Rev. C. R. Chapman also called to express birthday greetings and to present Mr. Ashley with a lovely bound book, "Everyday Religion".

Mrs. Fitchett, on behalf of the Sunday School, presented Mr. Ashley with a box of fruits and treats.

Mrs. Ashley then served a dainty lunch. At this time, Mrs. Harlow carried in the birthday cake with lighted candles arranged to form the number "89". All joined in singing "Happy Birthday."

Mr. Ashley was the recipient of several gifts, many lovely cards and messages of congratulations.

## Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Warren and family are attending the Ice Follies in Toronto today.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eggleton spent the week-end in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clare and Mrs. W. C. West left yesterday (Wednesday) on a month's trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. George Board, Bonarlaw, are moving to Belleville. Mr. Board has accepted a position as General Manager of the Bel-Air Motel, Belleville.

Mrs. E. W. Rowland, of Peterborough, returned home today (Thursday).

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MRS. GEORGE A. BROWN

Mrs. Mabel Estella Brown, 164 Aylmer St., Peterborough, died at her home Sunday, January 30th, after being in poor health for the past five years. She was in her 72nd year.

The deceased was born in Acton, Ont., the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pyear. She lived at R.R. 3 Frankford, and at Glen Ross prior to moving to Peterborough seven years ago.

She is survived by her husband, George A. Brown; a daughter, Mrs. Reginald Parks, Peterborough; and two sons, Harry, of Stirling, and John, of Norwood.

Also surviving her are two brothers, Edward Pyear, R.R. 3, Stirling, and Arthur Pyear, R.R. 3, Frankford, and nine grandchildren.

The deceased was a member of Carmel United Church.

The funeral was held from the

home of her son, Harry Brown, R. R. 3, Stirling, on Tuesday afternoon to Carmel United Church.

Entombment in Stirling Cemetery Vault.

## Marsh Hill

A number from here have called on Miss Marilyn Finkle who still is a patient in Belleville General Hospital.

We extend sympathy to Mrs. Wm. Slater in the death of her mother, Mrs. John Keeble, of Mountain View.

Mrs. Ivan Clare is a patient in Belleville Hospital where she underwent a tonsillectomy on Monday.

Although Sunday morning was very cold we are very glad to report there was a goodly number out to Sunday School and Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell were recent Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Shaw, of Ivanhoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Tanner were

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## Euchre Party Held By C.W.L.

A very successful euchre party was held on Wednesday evening of this week in the Legion Hall, sponsored by the Catholic Women's League of St. James Church. Thirteen tables were in play and the conveners were Mrs. J. L. Donohoe Jr., Mrs. Jas. O'Neill and Mrs. Thos. Hanna.

The prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies' high, Mrs. Frank Long; ladies' second, Isabelle Heasman; men's high, Manson Farrell; men's second, Joe Forestell. The consolation prizes were won by Queenie Farrell and Frank Long. Queenie Farrell also was the winner of the door prize.

Dainty refreshments were served and a social half hour enjoyed.

## Mrs. W. F. Hanna Honoured On 95th Birthday

River Valley Women's Institute honoured a former member, Mrs. William F. Hanna, at the home of her great granddaughter, Mrs. Muriel Clapper, York Road, Trenton, R.R. 4, on Wednesday, January 26, on the occasion

of her 95th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Hanna was formerly Sarah E. Anderson, a daughter of the late Joshua Anderson and his wife Mahala Parcells, and was born on Anderson's Island, along the Trent River, near Hoard's Station on January 16th, 1860. She has a brother, Fred Anderson, 80 years of age, residing on the old home stead and a sister, (Ella) Mrs. Chester Hoard, Belleville, who is 84 years young.

Married in 1877

On February 15, 1877, she married William F. Hanna, who is now deceased.

Born to this union are three sons, Jared and J. E. (Bert), both of Stirling and David, of Madoc. One daughter, Hattie, married Peter Dingwell, both deceased, also Hattie's daughter, (Edna), Mrs. E. Gibson, is deceased.

There are a number of grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren.

Her father lived to be 104 years of age and died in 1929, and her mother died in 1930 at the age of 94.

The Hanna family resided on a farm at River Valley (where Mr. Kenneth Morrow now resides) and Mrs. Hanna joined River Valley Women's Institute a short time after it was organized in 1910. She has another great granddaughter, Mrs. Marie Kelar, who is a patient at "The Green Nursing Home" Stirling.

Presented With Gifts

On Wednesday, January 26, River Valley W.I. was represented at the party by Mrs. Ross Bush, president, Mrs. J. L. Donohoe, Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mrs. Percy Utman, Mrs. E. Heasman, Mrs. John Kane, Mrs. Rose Carr, Mrs. Phil Conley, Mrs. Ernest Carr and they presented Mrs. Hanna with a flowering cinchona.

Mrs. Hanna is a member of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling and Dr. and Mrs. A. Packman attended the party and the former conducted a short devotional service.

The other guests from Stirling were her son, Mr. Jared Hanna, two cousins, Mr. W. H. Hanna and Mrs. Walter Barker, also Mrs. Charles Conley and Mr. R. Geen.

During the afternoon, Mrs. Ed. Heasman took several flash pictures, one being a group of Mrs. Hanna, her son, Jared, and her great granddaughter, Muriel Clapper, and her great great grandchildren Susan and Paul Clapper.

Mrs. Hanna is quite well physically, has never worn glasses, and enjoys visits from old friends. Owing to a fractured hip, she spends her days in a chair. She received her guests wearing the black gold-threaded stole, last year's W.I. gift.

A lovely birthday cake, decorated in pink and green with lighted candles was made by Mrs. Roy Bush, who was unable to attend the party, owing to a severe cold.

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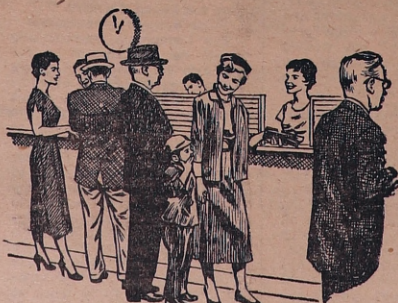
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## Bylaw Covering Estimated \$9,000 Expenditure on Streets Passed

### Rate of Pay For Voluntary Firemen Increased — Officers Appointed For Year

By-law No. 565 covering an estimated expenditure of \$9,000.00 on the roads and streets of the Village was given its final reading and passed at the regular meeting of the Village Council on Monday night. Reeve R. K. West presided and Councillors Bradshaw, Phil, Wells and Ray were in attendance.

Fire Chief R. E. Fox and fireman R. B. Bell were a deputation to Council seeking better pay for all members of the Brigade and indemnity in case of injury or death in the course of their duties.

On motion of Messrs. Wells and Phil, the salary of the Fire Chief was increased from \$100 to \$150 and the rate of pay for voluntary firemen set at \$2.00 for the first hour on duty and \$1.00 for each additional hour or portion thereof. Clerk Mallory was also instructed to write the Workmen's Compensation Board re indemnity for firemen and their families in case of injury or death.

On request from the I.O.D.E. to have the backdrop remain in the Community Hall, it was moved by Councillors Bradshaw and Wells that the request be acceded to and the I.O.D.E. be paid \$5.00 toward decorating expense.

### Increase Salary

Dr. E. A. Carleton, M.O.H., requested an increase in salary and on motion of Councillors Wells and Bradshaw the salary was increased from \$150 to \$300.

The committee of the whole on By-laws resumed as laid over from the January meeting with Councillor Phil in the chair.

Under second reading of By-law No. 564 to appoint certain officers with fixed remuneration, the following additions were made:

Foster Wannamaker (Municipal Buildings) — \$400.00

Foster Wannamaker (Street Supt.) — \$1600.00

J. A. Hamilton (Cemetery) \$100.00 increase — \$1050.00

G. B. Faulkner (Garbage) \$200.00 increase — \$1700.00

Owing to the lateness of the hour on motion of Reeve West and Councillor Wells, the committee of the whole adjourned to meet again at the call of Chairman Phil.

The following accounts were passed for payment:

E. D. Ketcheson, \$15.30; Thos. Spry, \$64.45; G. B. Faulkner, \$16.90; Chas. Davidson, \$46.75; Municipal World, \$18.00; Fire Brigade, \$60.00; I.O.D.E., \$5.00; Thos. Spry, \$86.85; Chas. Davidson, \$147.60; J. C. McGee, \$47.00; Bell Telephone, \$6.30; Walter Warren, \$25.50; Public Utilities, Com., \$293.22.

## AT Convention

Mr. R. L. Hutton, of Hutton Hardware, spent a few days in Toronto this week attending the Ontario Retail Hardware Dealers' Convention, held at the Royal York Hotel.

## St. Paul's W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of St. Paul's W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Maurice Bell on Tuesday, February 1st, with a good attendance.

The President, Mrs. Ed. Warren, presided, opening the meeting with the theme song and prayer. Reports were read and the calling committee reported 22 calls. Mrs. R. Christie and Mrs. L. Pollock will act on the Calling Committee for the month of February.

The meeting took the form of a discussion at which time the members felt free to express their opinions on the various subjects that arise during the year. It was decided to hold a St. Patrick's Supper in March, serving the favourite Irish Stew. Final plans were made for the W.A. Church service to be held on the night of Sunday, February 27th. Mrs. C. Lansing will be the speaker.

Miss D. Caldwell read the Scripture after which the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction. A dainty lunch was served by the committee in charge.

## Bancroft Rector To Address St. John's Club

The Men's Association of St. John's Anglican Church will hold their meeting on Sunday night, February 13th at 8.45 p.m. at the Church. The guest speaker will be Rev. Owen Johnson Incumbent of Bancroft, who will speak on "Reform work among boys in Salina, Kansas." This is an open meeting and ladies will be welcomed.

## Rotarians Visit Campbellford

Some twenty-five Stirling Rotarians accompanied by their wives and friends, attended the Ladies' Night sponsored by the Campbellford Rotary Club on Tuesday night and report a splendid time. District Governor Basil Tibbett was the guest speaker and gave an interesting address on Rotary International. He also showed pictures of points of interest in the Far East, which he visited last year.

Mrs. R. W. Vandervoort, of Stirling, responded to the toast "The Ladies." The evening concluded with a dance.

## Engagement

The engagement is announced of Jean Anna, daughter of Mr. E. D. Greer and the late Mrs. Greer, of Wellington, to Robert Lindsay Hatton, son of Mrs. Clifford I. Hatton and the late Mr. Hatton, of Stirling. The marriage to take place quietly in the United Church, Wellington, on February 26th, at 2.00 p.m.

## River Valley W.I. Euchre

River Valley Women's Institute sponsored a card party at the school house on February 4th, with ten tables in play. Guests were in attendance from Frankford, Madoc Junction and Stirling. The convenor was Mrs. Gilbert Finkle. The prizes were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morrow, with the following awards: Ladies' high, Mrs. J. R. Donohoe; ladies low, Mrs. Don Tucker; Men's high, Mrs. J. L. Donohoe, (playing as a man); men's low, C. W. Moore.

"Happy Birthday" was sung for J. Kane. There will be no card party on the eleventh, owing to the banquet. However, parties are planned for the following two weeks.

Lunch was served and a social half hour enjoyed.

## Mrs. George V. McCutcheon Is Widely Mourned

A highly esteemed resident of this village, Mrs. George V. McCutcheon, was found dead at her home, Mill St., on Wednesday of last week. It is thought that she suffered a heart attack on Monday night.

Born in Sidney Township, she was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Cosby, and was in her 35th year. She lived in Sidney Township prior to coming to Stirling 28 years ago. In religion she was a member of St. Paul's United Church and also a member of the Woman's Association and the Woman's Missionary Society.

She was predeceased by her husband in 1932.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Melville (Jean) Gibson, R.R. 2, Campbellford; a son, Arnold McCutcheon, of New Toronto, and five grand-children.

Also surviving her is a sister, Mrs. Edith Williams, of Jackson, Mich., and a half sister, Mrs. Wilson Seelye, of Ivanhoe.

The funeral was held at the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, on Friday, February 4th at 2.30 p.m., and was largely attended. Rev. A. Packman of St. Paul's United Church conducted the service.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Harvey Pitcher, Oliver Stapley, Raymond Chambers, Percy Craighead, Charles Vance and Clifford Lansing.

Entombment was in Stirling Cemetery vault.

## St. Paul's Church Visits Carmel

A good number of St. Paul's United Church members and friends visited Carmel Church on Sunday evening and helped fill the Church for the service.

Dr. Ralph Vandervoort conducted the service and while modestly explaining that he had not acted in such a capacity before, nevertheless left nothing to be desired in its conduct. The Lessons were read by Mr. Francis Jeffrey and Mr. Jack Bush and Mr. George Carlisle, Clerk of the Session of St. Paul's, extended greetings to Carmel Church. St. Paul's Choir sang the anthem, "Abide With Me," and Mr. Grant Richardson sang a solo.

The Minister, Rev. Arthur Packman, preached on "When They Saw The Ark, They Rejoiced." Telling the story of the capture of the Ark by the Philistines, Dr. Packman explained that it was equivalent to the capture of the regimental flag. However, no sooner had the Philistines captured it than they wanted to get rid of it. Thus it is with religion that which becomes a source of joy to one man becomes a source of irritation and embarrassment to another.

At the social hour which followed several solos were sung by Mrs. Wm. Wilkins, Mr. Ted Reynolds and Mrs. Bruce Glendinning.

On behalf of the trustees of St. Paul's who were responsible for the evening, Mr. Harold Wells thanked

## Midgets Ousted By Wellington

The Stirling Midget "Shellers" bowed out of the group playdowns here Tuesday night by a score of 8 to 4 for Wellington.

Wellington tallied five times in the first period on goals by Carson, Platt, two by Guernsey and Holding. Bryant, of Wellington, received the only penalty.

Stirling flashed back with two goals by Austin in the first 30 seconds of the second stanza. These were followed by two more Stirling goals by Reynolds and Bird. Munro, of Stirling, and Lloyd, of Wellington, each received a penalty.

The third period saw Wellington add three more goals by Morden, Purtell and Morden. Penalties went to Munro, of Stirling, and Bryant, of Wellington.

## Merrie Bowlers

In yesterday's meeting of the Merrie Bowling League the "Strikers" took seven points from the "Flye Pins" and the "Hustlers" took five points from the "Whodunits."

Rosa Spry had high single and high triple with scores of 236 and 568.

The ladies for the delightful lunch, Mr. Will West seconded this and Mrs. Joe Grills, President of the Carmel W.A., responded.

## Don Rodgers Elected Deputy Master County L.O.L. No. 3, Centre Hastings

### Fred Bateman, Past Grand Master, Installing Officer — Scholarships Presented

The annual meeting of L.O.L. No. 3, Central Hastings, was held Tuesday at Madoc. County Master Milton Hagerman presided over the morning and afternoon sessions. The Credential committee reported sixty-six delegates present representing the twenty lodges in the County.

The special address was well given by John McMurray, of Albert College. The returns committee reported an increase in membership with honours going to Marmora Lodge, having the greatest number. Special mention was made of the two Juvenile Lodges in the County, one at Marmora and the other at Ivanhoe.

A pleasing feature of the meeting was the presentation of two scholarships of \$100.00 each to two young men who are entering the ministry. Paul Packman, a student at Queen's University, and John McMurray, at Albert College.

An invitation to hold the 12th of July commemoration at Madoc was accepted.

Past County Master Gordon Moffatt conducted the election of officers for 1955 as follows:

County Master, Nelson Howard, of Sulphide; Deputy County Master, Don Rodgers, Stirling; County Chaplain, Rev. H. E. Beare, Springbrook; Assist. County Chaplain, Archie Sinclair, of Tweed; Recording Secretary, Arthur Wilson, West Huntingdon; Assist. Secretary, Arthur Hassall, West Huntingdon; Marshal, Wilfred Phillips, of Madoc; Treasurer, Harold Martin, of Stirling; First Lecturer, George Gordon, Queensboro; Second Lecturer, Gordon Carleton, of Moneymore.

The officers were installed by Past Grand Master of Ontario East, Fred Bateman, of Stirling, who also presented Past County Master Milton Hagerman with a Past Master's Jewel.

## Rawdon Hockey

The Rawdon Township Hockey League completed its schedule on Thursday evening of last week. The first game saw Stirling win over Springbrook West with an 8 to 6 count, and in the second game Rylstone defeated Springbrook East by a score of 9 to 7.

The schedule ended with Rylstone and Stirling tied for first place, with Springbrook East in third position and Springbrook West in last place.

Play-offs

In the first game of the semi-finals on Tuesday evening Springbrook East defeated Rylstone by a score of 7 to 4 and Springbrook West in the second game won by a 7 to 6 margin over Stirling.

## Ted Burnside High Man In Junior Farmer Seed Judging Competition

### In Hospital

Word has been received by Mrs. E. Foster, Mill St., that her son, John Rosebush, is seriously ill in the General Hospital, Vancouver, B.C.

## Confer Degree

The degree team of Springbrook Lodge, No. 429, I.O.O.F., paid a fraternal visit to Stirling Lodge, No. 239, I.O.O.F., last night and conferred the initiatory degree on four candidates in a most impressive manner. Following the degree work refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

## Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Conley attended the funeral of Mrs. T. Bailey, in Madoc on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mills, of Burlington, were Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Nora Wescott and Mrs. Nina Morton.

Friends of Mrs. E. A. Carleton will regret to learn that she is a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morrison and Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith left today (Thursday) to spend a month in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Hugh Morton spent last week in Toronto a guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Beatty, Mr. Beatty and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mould, Trenton, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kellar and children, of Tweed, were Sunday guests of Mrs. C. A. MacConnell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins returned home on Tuesday after spending three weeks with relatives in Santa Monica, Cal.

Sergt. Major Arthur McDonnell, Mrs. McDonnell and daughters, of Barrie, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDonnell.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Perchaluk and family, of Hastings, and Miss Dorothy Watson, of Peterborough, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Hulin.

Mrs. David Duffin left by plane on Wednesday for Miami, Fla., where she will join Mrs. W. C. West and Mr. and Mrs. W. Clare for a three-weeks' holiday.

Mr. Bryce Phil left on Wednesday for Los Angeles, Cal., for a holiday. He will accompany Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Elliott who have been holidaying there, on their return trip.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Strickland "West-End Grocery" were Mrs. Mary Strickland, of Peterborough, and Mrs. Millie Alexander, of Killan, Alta. Their daughter, Mrs. R. D. Wingrove spent a few days under the parental roof.

## Robert Burkitt, Frankford, Is Winner of Coach's Prize — Fifty-Nine Contestants

Ted Burnside, of Madoc, won the championship of the Hastings County Grain Judging Competition with a grand aggregate score of 784 points, in the Stirling Community Hall on Friday last. Fifty-nine Junior Farmers took part in the competition. Robert Burkitt, Frankford, R.R. 2, was the runner up with a score of 783 points.

In winning the championship, Ted gets the tray, donated by the Hastings County Crop Improvement Association; the Bishop Trophy; the silver medal donated by H. R. Tompkins, Editor of the Stirling News-Argus (for small seeds and weeds) and the book "Hunger Signs In Crops," donated by A. O. Dalrymple (for coarse grains).

### Coach Competitions

In the competition for coaches of teams, Robert Burkitt, of Frankford, R.R. 2, was first and Robt. Mallory, of Trenton, R.R. 5, the runner-up. On the winning team were Douglas Detlor, Ted Burnside and Robert Chambers.

In a special class for high school teams, that of the Belleville collegiate took first honors, team members being Earl Sills, Chas. Rowbotham and Jack Vermilyea, with Doug Rollins and Roger Redner as spares. Stirling High School was the runner up.

### To Represent County

Those who will represent Hastings County at the Central Ontario Spring Show at Peterborough on March 16th are Wally Jackson, Robert Mallory, Doug. Detlor, Harry Danford, Doug. Burnside, Robert Chambers, Charles Rowbotham, Jack Vermilyea, Earl Sills and Douglas Rollins.

The competitors and their individual scores were as follows:

Seniors — Robert Burkitt, 783; Robt. Mallory, 765; George Blatherwick, 703; Earl Badgley, 686, and Harold McMechan, 673.

Intermediates — Ted Burnside, 784; W. Jackson, 768; Doug. Detlor, 761; Ross Bateman, 751; H. Danford, 747; Doug. Rollins, 716; Roger Redner, 706; J. Rainie, 650; and Robt. Jackson, 643.

Juniors — J. Vermilyea, 734; Earl Sills, 725; Robt. Morris, 687; Roy Wallbridge, 675.

Novices — Doug. Burnside, 745; Robt. Chambers, 735; Allen Vancleif, 727; Gerald Welsh, 696; Glen Maracle, 694; Doug. Farrell and Ron Carter, 693; Lyall Bradshaw, 692; Maurice Chumbley, 688; Robt. Nobes and Carl Reid, 687.

## 4-H Sewing Club

A postponed meeting of the River Valley 4H Sewing Club was held on February 2nd at the school house.

The girls decided to provide an exhibit of a well planned costume for a certain occasion for Achievement Day, with Veva Coombes as commentator.

Eight girls who have already entered in the Garden Club are as follows: Marilyn Reid, Greta DeJong, Marilyn Conley, Sally Coombes, Janice Coombes, Ann Zuidema, Emmy Zuidema and Grace Heasman.

For home assignment the girls are to work on blouses and record books.

## - COMING EVENTS -

RESERVE MARCH 17th FOR THE Annual St. Patrick's Supper by St. Paul's W.A. 9-12-13

STIRLING PUBLIC SCHOOL HOME and School Association will meet at Public School, Monday, February 14th at 8.30 p.m. Films will be shown. Everyone welcome. 9-1

RESERVE FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11th, for Annual Stirling High School "At Home". Music by Peter Battman's Orchestra. Dancing 10.00 p.m. to 2.00 a.m. Admission \$3.00 per couple. Refreshments. (Dress optional). 7-3

LAUREL REBEKAH LODGE No. 211 Euchre and Bridge Party, Stirling Community Hall, Wednesday, February 16th at 8.00 p.m. Prizes and refreshments. Admission 50c. 7-3



## ANNE HIRST

Your Family Counselor

"Dear Anne Hirst: Ever since my brother married his wife six years ago, she has behaved abominably. Since the first year, she has had affairs with other men, they come to the house during the day, and she has even met them in town. She thinks she is fooling everyone.

"We have been careful to treat her as though we knew nothing of all this, but we are getting fed up. I am sure Dad knows something, and we are really terrified that Mother, who is not well, will find out. It is no use talking to my brother. He believes everything she says, and we all know she lies consistently.

"All our friends are nice to her, but I expect it is because they respect our family. We were all raised to despise divorce, and to lead upright lives. We don't drink at all; she and my brother do, and they leave the children with anybody at any time; we are so afraid they will be taunted later on with their mother's misconduct! She has even told my sister that my brother likes other women; maybe he is no better than she is, I don't know.

"My sister and I wonder whether trying to talk to her, or to him, would help? We just don't know what to do, but we are worried sick.

### DESPERATE

Under the shadow of scandal and grief, you and your family have behaved admirably and with fine discretion. Even when your sister-in-law tried to cause trouble among you, you held your peace. I hope you will continue to do so. It is your brother's affair, and anyone who tells him about his wife (or attempts to talk to her) will get little thanks. Perhaps your brother knows the truth and appears to condone it for the children's sake. If he should learn it first from you, it becomes a family scandal instead of his personal responsibility. He is mature, and a father. Let him handle it in his own way. You and your family take your cue from him, and be silent.

Continue to treat his wife as though you knew nothing. For his sake visit her, entertain them all when they will come, and be especially kind to the children. Whatever your brother knows or does

not know, or whatever happens, that will comfort him.

"Dear Anne Hirst: I am 14, and haven't been out with a boy yet. About seven months ago I met this boy, and we are madly in love with each other. He has asked me to go out with him, but my parents just won't allow it.

"I would love to go, of course, but I wouldn't like to hurt my parents. Can you tell me what to do?"

### WORRIED

Letters come to me from coast to coast about this problem. In most parts of the country girls of your age are permitted to entertain boys at home, or double-date them. Parents recognize that a girl needs a proper social life for her normal development and pleasure, and if she has proven to be responsible in other ways they welcome boys to the house and try to make her home a meeting-place for all her friends.

Obviously, you and this boy could not be madly in love unless you had been seeing each other often. A girl who meets a lad away from her home is not only deceiving her family but heading for more trouble than she can guess. Is that being responsible? In other ways, too, perhaps you have been so careless about keeping your word that your parents realize you are not to be trusted.

I may be all wrong, but I do urge you not to cheapen yourself by clandestine meetings, or in any other way. You cannot openly date a boy against your parents' wishes and be playing fair—and no matter what he tells you, he cannot respect you for it. It is a frail and dangerous basis for any healthy friendship. Think this over. Obey your parents, but try to win their consent to entertaining your friends at home, and include this boy. If he is worth knowing, they may relax their rule and help you enjoy a wider social life.

If trouble comes to your family, stand by, and silently, without criticism of those involved. Loyalty and discretion make anything easier to bear. In time of indecision, ask Anne Hirst's opinion. Address her at Box 1, 123 Eighteenth St., New Toronto.



### Fashion Blossoms Out in Lace—

Collar and cuffs of wool coat for spring, left, are adorned with Alençon lace. First made in Alençon, France, in the 17th Century, Alençon is delicate, yet durable. Hooded English import of white cotton lace over black worsted, right, makes rainy day walking something to look forward to. Water-repellent rain boots are of the same design.



Well, we have been "converted"—as of last Friday, and it was certainly quite an experience. Maybe those of you who still have conversion to 60 cycle ahead of you would like to know what happened.

Shortly before 8 a.m., hydro trucks started rolling along the highway—I had already counted 28 before one of them turned in at our gate. The driver came in, checked the equipment to be changed over and went away again. A little later he came back and got to work, first on the water-pressure system, then the washing machine and finally the milk and cream separator. When he came to the milk cooler he found he had been given the wrong motor so he had to send to Toronto for the right one. About 3 o'clock another fellow came in to change the refrigerator. To give him more working space I had taken out everything that was movable in my pantry—or kitchenette if you prefer to call it that. The man went to work, took out all the mysterious works that make a refrigerator refig. brought in all the new parts and then, after working for awhile, he shut up his tool box, announced, he had to get another part and would be back after awhile. That was the last we saw of him, and he had left the dismantled refrigerator and equipment still in the middle of the floor. I should say that by this time we were on 60 cycle. At 9:30 the power was shut off three-quarters of an hour. When it came on again it was 60 cycle. During the afternoon the man came back and finished the milk cooler, so, except for the 'frig' we were all through.

At 5:30 the fun began! The lights suddenly went dim. Not out but so dim one could hardly see to walk around. Partner came up from the barn. "How do you like 60 cycle?" I asked. His answer is better left unrecorded.

From what I could gather afterwards the hydro office was besieged with calls, ours among them. "Something had gone wrong with the temporary transformer, causing low voltage. It would be adjusted as soon as possible." But while we had low voltage people to the east of us had too much—lights were blindingly bright, furnaces racing like mad and fuses blowing out all over the place. However, about nine o'clock the trouble was adjusted, lights were normal and Partner was able to finish his milking with the aid of the refrigerator man. But still the refrigerator man had not returned. I wasn't too worried, thinking he would be back in the morning. After all one might expect a little inconvenience. But then a neighbor informed me the men didn't work on Saturday. I should have known it! I phoned the hydro office and a weary voice answered—"Let me know in the morning if he doesn't come and we will send an emergency man out to finish the job." I was satisfied to let it go at that, meanwhile stepping around the refrigerator and its cumbersome parts as best I could, trying to get a little law and order into the place.

Altogether it had been a trying day so by 11 o'clock I was

dead to the world. Partner, apparently, was half undressed when there came a pounding at the door, and furious barking on the part of the dogs. I awoke with a start, wondering what on earth had happened. It was another hydro man... to finish the refrigerator job! Partner was in the middle of telling him he would have to come back in the morning when, with a hastily donned housecoat, I came out and suggested that since he was already here he might as well stay. After that I persuaded Partner to go to bed and I stayed up. It was nearly one o'clock before the job was done, helped along by a cup of hot coffee.

So—that was our experience with the actual conversion job. And the results? Well, the lights are brighter; there is a different hum to the refrigerator and it cools less quickly—which is all to the good. All the various motors run much faster which seems to be an improvement insofar as the milking machine is concerned. One thing Partner doesn't like is the fact that the motors do not fit as well as the old ones. There is a shaft sticking out from the motor on the milking machine which gets in his way. New holes had to be bored to accommodate the motor on the cream separator, which we don't think is going to be too satisfactory. One

rather funny thing happened. I forgot to disconnect the kitchen clock. When 60 cycle came on the clock started up as usual but gained 30 minutes every hour! On the whole we are very well satisfied—just so long as our bill doesn't jump 50 percent. One thing I would like to add: all the men who have come in have been as courteous and obliging as one could wish. Certainly we have no complaints on that score. It was not the mechanic's fault he had been sent out with the wrong motor.

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Stir in cooled milk mixture. Stir in 4 c. once-sifted bread flour; beat with a rotary beater until the batter is smooth. Cover and set in a warm place, free from draught. Let rise until doubled in bulk. Work in 2 c. lightly-packed finely-shredded old cheese and 5 c. (about) once-

sifted bread flour. Knead on lightly-floured board until smooth and elastic. Place in greased bowl and grease top of dough. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Punch down dough; turn out on lightly-floured board and divide into 4 equal portions. Cover lightly with a cloth and let rest for 15 mins. Divide each portion of dough into 3 parts; knead and shape into smooth balls. Place 3 balls in each of 4 greased loaf pans (4½" x 8½"). Grease tops and sprinkle each loaf with ¼ c. shredded cheese. Cover and let rise until doubled in bulk. Bake in moderately hot oven, 375°, 45-50 mins.

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½ teaspoon salt  
2½ cups milk  
1 square unsweetened chocolate  
3 egg yolks, slightly beaten  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
3 egg whites  
6 tablespoons granulated sugar  
1 9-inch baked pie shell

MIX sugar, BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch and salt in top of double boiler.  
ADD milk gradually, mixing until smooth.  
ADD unsweetened chocolate; place over boiling water.  
COOK, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens, occasionally. Do not remove from heat.  
STIR a small amount of hot mixture into egg yolks.  
RETURN to double boiler immediately, blending mixture thoroughly.  
COOK 2 minutes longer, stirring constantly.  
ADD vanilla, cool; pour into baked pie shell.  
BEAT egg whites until stiff but not dry; gradually beat in sugar, continue to beat until meringue stands in firm peaks.  
SPREAD meringue lightly over filling.  
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## British Actor Named Adjudicator Drama Festival

Andre Van Gysegem, British stage and television star, director and producer, will adjudicate all plays in the Eastern Ontario Regional Drama Festival being staged in the Belleville Collegiate Auditorium, Feb. 15, 16, 18, and 19.

Mr. Van Gysegem trained as an actor and director at the Royal Academy of dramatic Art, has produced more than a dozen plays for London Productions starring such international celebrities as Peter Ustinov (Nero, in Quo Vadis) and Paul Robeson.

In addition to producing plays for the British Arts Council, he has appeared in leading roles in more than 10 British TV dramas in the past two years and stars in Danziger Productions TV film "Dress Rehearsal" to be released in North America this month.

Mr. Van Gysegem was director of productions for three years at the Nottingham Playhouse which he founded in 1948 and established as one of the finest repertory theatres in England with consistently high quality production of plays by Shakespeare, Sheridan, Shaw, Ibsen, Moliere, Priestly and others. He has been director of productions at the Library Theatre, Manchester, and for three

years at the Embassy Theatre, London.

He has produced pageants at the Empress Hay, the Albert Hall, Wembley Stadium and for the Empire Exhibition. He produced "Romeo and Juliet" for the Johannesburg Repertory Players in 1950.

During World War II, he served with the RASC from 1942 to 1946 and then transferred to a special unit which he headed as it presented specially written documentary plays on tours of the British Isles, Germany and the Middle East.

He has produced and played the lead in stage plays touring Norway, Denmark and Sweden.

Mr. Van Gysegem has been adjudicator and lecturer, at various times for the "British Drama League", the Lancashire Community Council, the Scottish Community Drama Association, Liverpool University and Nottingham University. He had been tutor for the Royal Academy of Dramatic Art and the Central School of Speech Training and Dramatic Art. He is an examiner for the Drama Board.

He has been chosen by the governors of the Dominion Drama Festival to adjudicate all 13 regional festivals in Canada this year. He will also adjudicate the Dominion finals in Regina in May.

Plays entered in the regional drama festival in Belleville are: "Joan of Lorraine", by the Belleville Theatre Guild Inc.; "Noah", by the Peterborough Little Theatre; "The

Moon in the Yellow River", by the Ottawa Little Theatre Inc.; and "Malbrough S'en Va Ten Guerre", by Le Theatre du Pont Neuf, Hull. Three one-act plays will be presented at a Saturday matinee.

Tickets can be purchased for each performance or for the entire festival. Out-of-town tickets can be purchased by writing Box 161, Belleville.

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## Sunday Services

At Local Churches February 13th, 1955

### St. Andrew's

Presbyterian Church  
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

#### Stirling

11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Church School

#### West Huntingdon

2.30 p.m.—Church School  
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service

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#### SEXAGESIMA

#### St. John's, Stirling

10.00 a.m.—Church School

7.30 p.m.—Evensong

Preacher: The Rev. Owen Johnson, Incumbent of Bancroft  
8.45 p.m.—Men's Association will meet — Rev. Johnson speaker

### UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL CHARGE  
Rev. Arthur Packman, Minister

#### St. Paul's

10.00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class

11.00 a.m.—Outriding The Storm

7.30 p.m.—Read The Bible With Me

#### Carmel

2.00 p.m.—Church School and Bible Class

2.45 p.m.—Church Service

### Rawdon Circuit

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

11.00 a.m.—Wellman's

2.30 p.m.—Bethel

7.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant

### Mount Pleasant

The weather last week ranged from 18 to 28 degrees below zero and it certainly was cold. Then on Sunday our Canadian climate simply reversed its schedule and we had a balmy February 6th at 40 degrees and a lovely sunny day. At midnight Friday evening, it was 14 below zero.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams entertained Mr. and Mrs. Morley Aythart on Sunday.

Miss Doris Sine is holidaying in Kingston with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rutan and Marie.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne, Campbellford, visited Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen visited Mr. Edward Montgomery, Foxboro, on Sunday evening. Mrs. Montgomery spent a few days in Belleville hospital.

Mrs. Milton Shaw, Ivanhoe, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher.

### Madoc Junction

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett were Monday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Murney Kirkey.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clancy were Miss Joyce Cranston, Belleville, and Mrs. Keith Clancy, Wellman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMullen spent Thursday in Toronto visiting Mrs. McMullen's aunt, Mrs. F. Hoard, who is a patient in the Toronto hospital.

Keith McMullen spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley. Wayne McMullen was a guest on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Clancy and Lloyd were Sunday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clancy, of Wellman's.

Audrey Stapley and Sharon Reide spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitchett visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey Cooney, Frankford Road, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Burrell and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Ashley will be the convenors for the card party at Eggleton School on Friday evening.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Nelson on Thursday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen, Mr. and Mrs.

### GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, February 13th, 1955

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School

11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper

2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q.

7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

SPEAKER

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

### STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

SERVICES

#### Sunday

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School

11.00 a.m.—Worship Service

7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

"I escaped from behind the Iron Curtain," by Williana Vochawski

### RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE



No Card Party this week owing to banquet.

February 18th, Euchre Party at School.

Mrs. Gordon McPhatter, President of F.W.I.O., said recently, "Let us study more and more the set-up of our organization and so plan more competently for the future."

Bruce Stapley, Mr. M. Clancy and Miss Marlene Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kirkey and Shirley, of Belleville, were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murney Kirkey.

#### Eggleton's Young People's

Eggleton's Young People's held a very successful skating party at the Stirling Arena on Friday evening from eight to ten o'clock. Then all journeyed to the Eggleton school house for a social hour together. Miss Gladys Clarke led the group in a lively sing-song, with Joanne Reide as pianist, after which a bountiful lunch was served.

Mr. Ralph Johnson, on behalf of the Rawdon Y.P.U., thanked the Eggleton Y.P.U. for an enjoyable evening. Miss G. Clarke favoured with a number of selections on her accordion.

Rev. Fletcher offered the closing prayer.

Guests were present from Stirling, Wellman's, Bethel and Mount Pleasant.

### Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and Mrs. Charles Dunham were tea guests on Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley and children.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walenty Kozubicki on the arrival of a fine baby girl, February 2nd, in the Campbellford Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clancy and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock attended the Ice Follies in Toronto on Wednesday.

Wellman's W.A. held a pot luck supper and social evening on Wednesday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Clancy and Ruth and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Clancy, with a good attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Will Cairns.

of Stirling, were present and Mr. Cairns showed films on some of his trips which were enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle spent Tuesday on a trip to Toronto and attended the Ice Follies in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock entertained Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Graham and Mr. Glenn Watson to tea on Saturday evening.

Mrs. W. B. Totten, of Toronto, and Mr. Gerald Bristol, of Belleville, visited Monday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rainie and James and Miss Emma Rainie.

### Marsh Hill

Mrs. Frank Finkle spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clare Finkle, of Trenton.

Radio Farm Forum was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Berson Mitts.

#### Euchre Party

A very successful euchre party was held Friday evening in the Marsh Hill School sponsored by the Pine Grove Women's Institute with ten tables in play. The evening was convened by the directors, Mrs. Farley Lindenfield, Mrs. Alex Tanner and Mrs. John Brown.

The prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies' high, Mrs. Blake Johnson; gent's high, Mr. Edison Sine. Mr. Harold Dettlor was the winner of the door prize.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and tarts were served by the committee.

#### W.M.S.

The W.M.S. of Marsh Hill United Church met at the home of Mrs. Alex Tanner on Tuesday, February 1st with eleven members present. The President, Mrs. Leslie Finkle, opened the meeting with the reading of a poem, "Do Something for Somebody," followed by prayer.

Two members contributed to the birthday box and six members paid their fees. Mrs. Walter Lindenfield read a letter concerning the World Day of Prayer, which will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Campbell on February 25th.

Mrs. Campbell gave some interesting facts on Temperance. Mrs. Bartindale gave a reading, "Stewardship Begins At Home." Mrs. L. Finkle took charge of the worship service, the theme being, "The Church Universal in India." Mrs. Fred Heasman was in charge of the study book dealing with the chapter, "Growth of the Church in India," and was assisted by Mrs. Alex Tanner and Mrs. Berson Mitts.

After the benediction the hostess served refreshments.

### Ivanhoe

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Ashley, West Huntingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Belshaw, Belleville, visited Mrs. H. Wallace Wednesday.

Mr. Murray Thomlison, of Peterborough, spent Monday at his home here.

Mrs. Fred Reid, Mr. Leslie Reid, Mrs. C. Roe visited Mr. and Mrs. Colin Bain, Belleville, on Monday.

Mrs. Cecil Scott, who underwent an appendectomy in Belleville General Hospital is progressing favourably.

Mr. and Mrs. E. McMaster, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Lain, Sandra and Linda and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw and Wayne spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Sidner Reid.

Mr. Michael Kerby, Mr. and Mrs. John Kerby and Mrs. Powers spent the week-end in Toronto visiting relatives.

Mrs. Donald Fleming spent Tuesday in Kingston visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Timbrell.

Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Reid were Miss Joan Kelly, Belleville, Mr. and Mrs. W. Brady and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelly, of Tweed.

#### Monthly Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of St. Andrew's Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Donnan on Thursday evening, February 3rd and was well attended.

The President, Mrs. Harold Thompson, opened the meeting by reading a poem, followed by the singing of "Come Let Us Sing of a Wonderful Love." The Scripture Lesson, Psalm 24, was read by Rev. W. H. V. Walker, who also led in prayer. A reading, "A Farmer's Valentine To His Wife," was given by Harold Thompson.

It was decided to hold a bazaar and a committee was named to make the final plans. It was also decided to add to the treasury by a "Holiday Fund." All important days on the calendar would be observed by each member contributing the amount determined by the date. The members were also asked to bring used Christmas cards to send to a Children's Hospital.

Readings were given by Mrs. Rus-

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sell Sills and Beverley McInroy. A closed with a hymn and prayer. Musical selection was given by Mrs. A. Hassall. A vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Donnan was extended by Mrs. Barton Haggerty. The meeting

## Sun Life Pays \$26 Million In Policyholder Dividends

Cost of insurance reduced. Nearly \$700 million of new business sold last year, largest amount of any Canadian company

For the sixth consecutive year, the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada is adopting new dividend scales which will substantially reduce the cost of insurance to the holders of its participating policies, according to an announcement by George W. Bourke, President, in his Annual Review of the Company's business for 1954. With this latest increase of policyholder dividends, the Company will pay out in the year ahead a total of approximately \$26 million — an increase of more than \$2 million over the previous year. New life insurance sold last year amounted to nearly \$700 million, an increase of \$120 million over 1953 and again the largest figure reported by any Canadian life company. Included in this new business figure is \$239 million of group insurance, representing an increase of \$68 million over the previous year. Benefits paid by Sun Life during the year amounted to \$134 million, and total benefits paid by the Company since its organization in 1865 now stand at \$2,866 million.

#### \$6 BILLION IN FORCE

Other highlights of the Report include a total of life insurance in force amounting to more than \$6,000,000,000. During 1948 the Company passed the \$4 billion mark and, during 1952, topped \$5 billion. The Company has now passed another milestone and the two-year period taken to accumulate the last billion dollars contrasts sharply with the 54 years required for the first billion. Group insurance included in the 1954 figure amounts to \$1,996 million, an increase during the year of 13.9%. The proportion of insurance and annuities in force in the various countries where the Company operates is now as follows: Canada, 47%; United States, 36%; Great Britain and other Commonwealth countries, 14%; elsewhere throughout the world, 3%.

#### MORTGAGE LOANS UP

Assets of the Company now stand at \$1,876 million, an increase of \$46 million over 1953. Mortgage loans increased by more than any other type of investment, in keeping with Sun Life's policy of striving to further economic and social interests of the community consistent with sound investment principles. During the year, new mortgage loans made by the Company totalled \$83,000,000. Mortgage investments now total \$323 million, mostly in individual homes.

In commenting on the general economic situation, Mr. Bourke remarked that a year ago there was

uncertainty in some quarters regarding the outlook for 1954. Despite the keen competition that existed among the various companies, however, 1954 was a year of expansion for life insurance and particularly for Sun Life. Mr. Bourke declared that the main reason the life insurance industry continued to forge ahead, was because a life insurance policy functions like a good investment. It increases in value. It provides a return on the investment and it has a market value which can be used to provide cash for emergencies and a retirement fund for old age. Moreover it does what no other investment can do — it creates an immediate estate for the protection of home and family.

Mr. Bourke stressed the recent improvements in medical science with the ensuing rapid and continuous decline in death rates. He pointed out that accidents now account for a substantial proportion of death from all causes, especially in the younger age groups, and that Sun Life experience shows that approximately one-half of all death claims under age thirty are the results of accidents, while accidents are now the third most frequent cause of death at all ages, following heart disease and cancer. In particular, he mentioned automobile accidents which account for about one-half of all accidental deaths. The hazard from this source will become greater unless accompanied by a steady improvement in the safety habits of the motoring public. Death claim records are full of tragic accidents which elementary safety precautions could have avoided.

#### OUTLOOK FOR 1955

In his concluding remarks, Mr. Bourke said that Canada's national resources should continue to support thriving industries which may well set new standards of prosperity in 1955. There should be no abatement of the national confidence, for a steady progress beneficial to everyone is to be expected. "Canada's future depends not only on its economic heritage, but on the use to which that heritage is put," he concluded. "The tasks ahead may be different. We may have to adjust to new patterns and new demands, but I am confident we will meet the challenge."

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Hastings County Achievement Day in Stirling Community Hall on Saturday, February 26th.

Card party Monday night, February 14th in the Community Hall at 8.15 p.m. Everyone welcome.

### Births

JACKMAN — At Belleville General Hospital, on Wednesday, February 9th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackman (nee Kathleen Fanning) a son, David Andrew.

KOSOBUCKI — Mr. and Mrs. Walentin Kosobucki are pleased to announce the birth of a daughter, at Campbellford Memorial Hospital, on Wednesday, February 2nd, 1955; a sister for Irene.

REDCLIFFE — At the Sine Maternity Home, Harold, Ontario, on Friday, February 4th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Redcliffe, Bonarlaw, Ontario, a son, Richard Earl.

### In Memoriam

BATEMAN — In loving memory of a dear husband and son, Cecil H. Bateman, who passed away February 9th, 1954.

With tears we watched you sinking,  
We watched you pass away.  
We tended you with loving care  
But could not make you stay.  
We watched beside your bedside,  
As the lonely hours passed,  
And how our hearts were broken  
When we saw you breathe your last.  
You have left a beautiful memory,  
And a sorrow too great to be told;  
But to us who have loved and lost you  
Your memory will never grow old.

— Lovingly remembered by his wife,  
Victoria, and mother, Mrs. E. Bateman. 9-1p

BATEMAN — In loving memory of a dear father, Cecil H. Bateman, who passed away February 9th, 1954.

God forgive a silent tear,  
Always wishing you were here.  
There are others, yes, we know  
But he was ours and we loved him so.  
We miss him when we need a friend,  
On him we always could depend.  
For us he always did his best  
God grant him eternal rest.  
— Lovingly remembered by Lenora  
and Murney. 9-1p

GIBSON — In memory of Percy Gibson, who passed away February 12th, 1952.

We often think of bygone days,  
When we were all together;  
The family chain is broken now,  
But memories will live forever.  
To us he has not gone away,  
Nor has he travelled far;  
Just entered God's eternal home,  
And left the gates ajar.  
— Remembered by his wife and  
daughter, Eileen and Barbara 9-1

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Todd thank their kind friends and relatives who remembered them on their 50th Wedding Anniversary with flowers, cards, candy, messages of congratulations and other gifts.

Callers were present during afternoon and evening. Their two grandchildren entertained with music, all helping to make a very pleasant event 9-1p

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank friends and relatives; also Carmel W.A. for floral tributes and kindness shown during my recent bereavement. 9-1p

### IN APPRECIATION

We wish to say "thank you" to neighbours, relatives and friends for their sympathy shown; a special thanks to those who helped at a time when it was deeply appreciated. 9-1p

### CARD OF THANKS

To my friends and neighbours I say a hearty "thank you." Words fail to express my appreciation of the many kindness I have received during my stay in the hospital in Toronto and since my return home. Again I say "thank you." 9-1p

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation to all the neighbours and friends for their floral tributes, many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement; also a special "thank you" to Dr. E. A. Carleton. 9-1p

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McCutcheon  
Mr. and Mrs. Mel. Gibson

### Death

ROSE, Emma — At the residence of her son, Donald Rose, 322 Charles Street, Belleville, on Sunday, February 6th, Emma Rodgers, widow of George H. Rose, in her 75th year.

The funeral was held Tuesday, February 8th, from the Belleville Burial Company Funeral Home at 1.30 p.m. Entombment Stirling Cemetery.

### West Huntingdon

Mrs. W. Seeley, of Peterborough, spent Saturday with Miss Sarah Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hammond and family, of Cobourg, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sables were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Seeley, Stirling.

A large number from here attended the funeral services for Mrs. George Rose, Belleville, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wood, Ivanhoe, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Ashley.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldie McInroy spent Sunday with Mr. Harry Campion, of Marmora.

### Play Being Well Received

The play entitled, "The Meddlesome Maid," which is being presented by talent from West Huntingdon under the sponsorship of the Sew and Chat Club, is being well received. It was first presented in the Town Hall, Ivanhoe, and in spite of the sub-zero weather, the hall was filled with everyone enjoying the efforts of the players.

The cast is comprised as follows: Charles Winthrop, Charles Wright; Margaret Winthrop, Mrs. W. Grant; Dolly Darling, Mrs. George Ashley; Robert White, Melbourne Moorcroft; Edna the Maid, Mrs. Russell Sills; Sam Bryant, Alex McCurdy; Carlyle Howard, Mac Sables; Mrs. Fraser, Mrs. Mac Sables; Mrs. Rita Griffin, Mrs. Elmer Wilson; Richard O'Neil, Bill Grant.

The play is directed by Mrs. Lindsay Sills and Mrs. Alex McCurdy, assisted by Mrs. John Lainsdon and Mrs. Mac Sables. Mr. Philip Carr was chairman for the evening.

The entire action of the play takes place in the living room of the Winthrop home in a summer resort town. The humour, mystery, suspicion and misunderstanding spiced with a little romance here and there makes this play a most enjoyable evening's entertainment. Mr. Gerald Taylor and Mr. William Grant entertained between the acts. Already a number of places have booked the play for future engagements.

Considering the number of drivers of both sexes, male drivers in Ontario account for a higher proportion of motor accidents than do females, according to the Accident Records Branch of the Ontario Department of Highways.

### NOTICE

Due to my loss by fire, I would appreciate the settlement of all accounts by the 15th of February.

9-1 Bill Montgomery

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## Boy Scouts Plan World Jamboree

When Lord Baden Powell, the founder of the Boy Scout Movement, was asked to name an international gathering of Boy Scouts, he said, "Call it a Jamboree". He was asked to explain the meaning of the word, since it did not appear in the dictionary. His explanation was that there would be a large gathering of boys from all over the world. "What else could you call it but a 'Jam' of boys". And that is exactly what is going to happen at Niagara-on-the-Lake this August 18 to 28, an immense gathering of followers of our beloved Chief from round the globe. Yes, truly we will be in a tremendous "Jam" of humanity.

Already we have word that boys are coming from 25 countries, representing every continent on earth. These young men will bring with them the traditions and customs of all the world. They will camp in the same style tents, eating the same style meals, and be a little bit of their home land on the historic countryside in Canada. Here in rope encircled camp-site will rise the voices of the boys of the world, singing the songs of their homeland, and playing the sport of mankind. Truly, as someone has said, "this is the United Nations of Youth".

Visualize this campsite. There will be ten camps of 1000 or more boys. Each camp will have about 400 Canadian boys and 600 overseas friends.



The Bourke family in the Bell cafeteria (left to right): Laurent 21, Toll Testing, Montreal—Huguelle, 24, Toll Operator, Montreal—Lucie, 17, Stenographer, Montreal—Guy, 23, Central Office, St. Lambert Plant—Suzanne, 20, Stenographer, Montreal—Gaston, 25, Toll Testing, Montreal.

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gether. Yes, I imagine, there will be times of quiet and times of raucous boy noise. What touches my heart is that no one can measure the extent of impression there will be in those times of quiet talk which take place at the evening campfires or around the dinner tables. What possibilities there will be to write the future! What a Campsite!

The camp fee amounts to \$30.00 and other expenses including pocket money are estimated at \$20.00. In other words, \$50.00 will enable a Scout to attend this great world gathering, who might otherwise be barred by his inability to obtain Canadian dollars.

Boy Scout Groups, Service Clubs, other organizations or individuals are invited, indeed are urged, to make it possible for a Scout to come from the Sterling Area.

Mother, how would you like to have the catering for this gathering? Imagine the appetites to be satisfied. Imagine the variety of meals to be prepared. We won't worry about that for the boys are going to cook their own meals from the rations issued and brought to the camp. We can't supply some of the diets asked for. These will have to be brought by the boys of those far away places such as South Africa and Australia. However, we can satisfy the average boy who will attend. For this we have ordered 155,000 loaves of bread, 18,000 jars of jam, 18,000 jars of pickles and relishes, 20 tons of meat and so on and on. I don't believe any restaurant in the country will have the words, "Pass me the bread, please", said in so many different languages. Around more than a thousand cooking fires will gather over 10,000 young men to prepare their three meals a day. I wonder what weird and wonderful things will be prepared on that extra evening fire which is a tradition in Scout camp all over the world to satisfy that little extra hunger which a boy has before bed. Maybe it will be a hot dog, maybe it will be cup of cocoa, or maybe it will be—who knows. Mother, how would you like to be there!

All this encased in the history rich Niagara-on-the-Lake setting. Our Canadian boys have had this brought to their back yard. Every First Class Scout in this country should attend this Jamboree, but it is only for the chosen boys of our Scout Troops. Each Scout Troop will have a chance to send a boy or maybe more. It is up to the boys to prepare themselves for this Adventure. To be a First Class Scout, the boy must be fourteen years old and to attend this he must be First Class before June 1st, 1955. He must also pay a camp fee as his share of the camp cost. Of course, he must also get there and back. All this is in the hands of our leaders and their Group Committees and sponsors. Such a small preparation for such a large reward in experience, a page of modern history unrolled on our own countryside.

We play hosts to the world of Scouting this summer. Who will come and shake hands with the world of youth? Well, it's up to you who are Scouts and who could be eligible. It is also up to you who are leaders to see that each boy has his opportunity. And it is also up to you parents whose boys could go. I suppose it is up to us all to see that our boys are ready and that they go. What stories, what friends, what memories to bring home! Well, now who will come with me to the World Jamboree of 1955? It is called the Jamboree of New Horizons. Who will come and see these new horizons?

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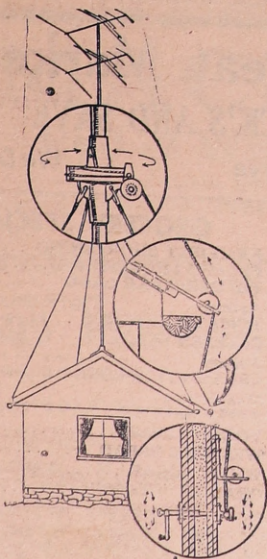
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study book, "Thirst of India," stressing how great have been the changes in India in a very short time. In modern India, transportation, elections and cities have changed rapidly when one considers the great handicap and problems of the rehabilitation in India of 4,000,000 refugees from Pakistan. It is encouraging that there is a new appreciation of Christian Missions and that the Christian Relief Teams are trusted by the people.

Mrs. Hiram Rodgers, who is a life member of the Anglican Woman's Auxiliary, and who was president of St. John's W.A. for so many years, gave a most interesting review of the history of this splendid Missionary organization of St. John's Church. In the early years the W.A. was rather a struggling concern but it was re-organized in the late twenties and

has steadily progressed. Mrs. Frank McGee's daughter and Mrs. Rodgers' granddaughter, Laura, now Mrs. Allan Sine, was the first baby on the Little Helpers list. An Indian boy named Henry Warrior was the first baby outfitted.

Thank-offering boxes were used as well as pledge envelopes. Mrs. Rodgers followed Mrs. Alger, who had acted as President for nine years in 1939, and except for a few years in which Mrs. Harding, Mrs. Whitehead and Mrs. Walter Savage were Presidents, Mrs. Rodgers has carried on until last year when Mrs. J. S. Whitehead again became president.

In the beginning the organization's funds were not sufficient to cover the bales and Mr. R. P. Coulter and Mr. Bob Patterson were very considerate and helpful through the years. This is still true of Mr. Patterson, who is still in business here. Boxes of used clothing were sent where needed but now a large bale of new clothes is sent to an Indian School. Donations of \$25.00 each are received by the W.A. for this purpose from St. John's Guild and the Ladies' League.

Mrs. Whitehead on behalf of the members, sincerely thanked Mrs. Rodgers for her excellent address and for her offer to help the W.A. all she could.

Mrs. Villette spoke of Mrs. Rodgers' words of appreciation at the December meeting for the splendid work done by Mrs. Everett Cooke as Past Secretary, and again thanked "Mary" for her enthusiastic work and devotion to this Missionary organization.

The meeting closed with the singing of "O Jesus I Have Promised To Serve Thee To The End," followed by a prayer.

Lunch was served after which Mrs. Noble thanked the conveners, Mrs. Charles Vance and Mrs. Whitehead for the very delicious lunch. The February meeting is to be held on Thursday the 17th in the Parish Hall.

### Petherick's

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petherick were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hector Arnold on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sarginson and Mrs. Jas. Simpson, of Havelock, were guests of Mrs. J. Simpson on Sunday.

Mr. Aylmer Petherick attended the Holstein-Friesian Association annual meeting in Toronto last week.

Several from here attended the play in Burnbrae Church last Tuesday evening by Ivanhoe talent.

Miss Bernice Wright, of Kingston, spent the week-end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tinny and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fry on Saturday.

Crow Bay Cheese Factory held their annual meeting on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Claud Reid was re-engaged as cheesemaker and Mr. Hector Arnold as President.

### Rylstone

Mrs. Fletcher Wildman attended a quilting held by the ladies of the Pentecostal Church in Campbellford at the home of Mrs. Ernest Flynn on

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Mr. and Mrs. Purvis Allen, of Campbellford, were Sunday guests at the home of her brother, John Stewart, and Mrs. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Wildman and boys were Sunday visitors with her mother, Mrs. Mary Menzies, Havelock.

Mrs. Essie Conley, of Batawa, and her granddaughter, of Trenton, were Sunday visitors with her sister, Mrs. Wilfred Spencer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis and family, of Trenton, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Spencer, Lynn and Suzanne were Sunday supper guests at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McKeown, Diane and Lisle, of the 12th Line.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath, Don and Carol, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verney Heath, Ridge Road, Stirling, Crokinole Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Melkilejohn entertained the following to a crokinole party at their home on Friday night: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath, Don and Carol, Mrs. Ellis Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid, Anne and Ted, Mr. and Mrs. Don Stewart, Donna and Maureen, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick and Norma, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Melkilejohn, Billie and Margaret, Mr. Richie Melkilejohn and Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Melkilejohn, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Linn, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Melkilejohn and Lynn. A delicious and bountiful lunch was served by the host and hostess and their family, bringing a delightful evening to a close.

**Late Stanley Finch**  
We are sorry to report the death of a life-long resident of Rylstone, Stanley Finch, who passed away in the Belleville General Hospital on Sunday morning, February 6th, in his 66th year. He has not been in good health for some time, but since Christmas his health has been failing and a few weeks ago he was taken to the Campbellford Memorial Hospital, and from there to the Belleville General Hospital.

He leaves to mourn his wife, the former Jessie Anderson, one son, Earl, at home, one daughter, Mrs. Everett Lake, of Stirling, two sisters, Mrs. Archie Samus, of Dundonald, and Mrs. Mabel Finch, of Campbellford, and two brothers, Howard and Raymond, both of Rylstone. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Finch (nee Margaret Melkilejohn) predeceased him several years ago.

He spent all his life in the Rylstone community and was born on the farm now owned by Lindsay Finch on the 10th Line.

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### St. John's W.A.

The January meeting of St. John's Woman's Auxiliary was held in the Parish Hall on the last Tuesday of the month with an attendance of nineteen. The meeting opened with the singing of a hymn, followed by the Lord's Prayer, the Member's Prayer and the Litany. Mrs. Everett Cooke gave the Bible reading, Mrs.

Earl Morrow the Treasurer's report, Mrs. George Noble on the Dorcas report. Mrs. Henry Cooke reported on the "Living Message" magazine and Mrs. Melville Tanner gave a report on the Junior W.A.

It was decided to fulfill the request made by the Diocesan Secretary for the entire Missionary bales.

Mrs. H. C. Secker with the aid of a map, took the first chapter of the

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## Edward Heasman Elected President Sidney Federation of Agriculture

**Prof. Ralph Campbell, of  
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R.V.W.I. Served Banquet**

Edward Heasman, Stirling R.R. 4, was elected President of the Sidney Township Federation of Agriculture at the annual banquet meeting held in St. Paul's United Church Parlours, Stirling, on Friday night last.

President John Kane presided over the meeting and members of River Valley Women's Institute catered for the banquet, which drew an attendance of approximately one hundred and eighty.

Other officers chosen were: 1st vice president, Roswell Reid; secretary-treasurer, Burton Hubble; directors, Ridley Wallbridge, Harry Rutter, Garnet Reid, Gilbert Sills, Harley Hamilton, Cecil Jeffrey, Burton Hubble, Douglas Harry, Orval May, Harry Phillips, Horace Knight, Bert Bush, Gerald Herrington, Ronald Longwell, Hudson Ketcheson, Harry Coulter, Leslie Finke, Colin Donald, Roswell Reid, Ed. Heasman, Harry Heasman, Gerald Brooks, John Kane, Roy Bush, Douglas Pyear, Bob Philip, Maurice Clancy, also a representative from the Sidney Women's Institute.



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## Break Into Schools

Vandals broke into the Ridge Road School House over the week-end and scattered books about as well as damaging pictures and a portion of the blackboard.

The Marsh Hill School was also broken into but no damage was done.

## Cub Notes

The Stirling Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies will meet at the Public School on Sunday, February 20th, at 10:30 a.m., then proceed to St. Paul's United Church for their Founder's Day Church Service. Parents are invited to attend this service with their children.

On Monday, February 21st, the Cubs will hold a Parent's Night at the Public School at 7:30 p.m. All parents and friends are invited to come and see what the boys are doing on Monday nights when they attend Cubs.

Just a reminder that what you give the canvasser when he calls at your door will be spent on your boys.

## Past President's Medal Presented

A Past President's medal and pin was presented to Comrade G. B. Faulkner at the end of a short business meeting of Stirling Legion on Tuesday evening, Cde. Ray Tanner, who occupied the chair, called on Comrade Fred Houchin, who spoke in glowing terms of the faithful service Cde. Faulkner had given Stirling Branch prior to and during his term as President, and made the presentation. Cde. Faulkner voiced his keen appreciation for the medal and pin and expressed his willingness to do all in his power to further the interests of Stirling Branch.

## World Day of Prayer Feb. 25th

Women in many parts of the world are called to observe this day of prayer. From dawn to dusk, women of over 100 countries will unite in a service of praise, penitence and education.

On this one day each year, women hold the world together by prayer — transcending boundaries of race, time and temperature.

The theme for worship and meditation is "Abide In Me." This well-known, much loved passage in the Gospel of St. John, with its simile of the "vine and the branches," its message, "Abide in Me" and "I in you," is something that we recognize as the foundation of our "One-ness," an experience of ecumenity.

Women of Protestant communions in Stirling are meeting for this great service in St. Paul's United Church at 2:30 p.m. on Friday, February 25th. Mrs. George Carlisle will conduct the service and Miss Gena Spry will be the guest speaker. The offering will be used to supply Christian literature throughout the world.

President Hastings Co. Federation: Reeve Harry Morrow, of Sidney Township, Director of Hastings County Federation, and Harley Hamilton, President of Foxboro Co-Operative.

## Citizens' Band Elects Officers

The annual meeting of Stirling Citizens' Band was held at the Council Chambers on Wednesday night of last week. President Jack Bush was in the chair and led a discussion on matters pertaining to the band during the past year. Robt. Hullin was appointed secretary for the meeting.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President — Jack Bush  
Vice-President — Joe Irish  
Secretary-Treasurer — Robt. Hullin  
Band Master — Maurice Bell  
Librarian — Wm. Moynes  
Press Reporter — Bob Jeffrey  
Property Committee — John McGowan, Joe Irish and Alvin Carr  
Auditors — Frank Harding and Bob Jeffrey

The band will hold practice as usual each Wednesday night, and anyone wishing to learn to play an instrument will be made welcome.

## In Hospital

Friends of Morley Aythart, John St., will regret to learn that he is a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

## Merrie Bowlers

In the Wednesday afternoon Merrie Bowling League the "Whodunits" took five points from the "Five Pins" and the "Hustlers" took four points from the "Strikers."

High single and triple were rolled by Helen Kerby, with scores of 277 and 543.

## Rebekahs Visit Belleville Lodge

Some twenty members of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, paid a fraternal visit to Quintana Rebekah Lodge, Belleville, on Tuesday night. The occasion marked the official visit of the President of the Rebekah Assembly of Ontario to this district. The meeting, at which the officers of Quintana Chapter conferred the Rebekah Degree, was followed by a banquet.

## Energetic League

On the Friday afternoon meeting of the Energetic Bowling League, Evelyn Sleeper rolled the high single and triple, 215 and 541.

## Interesting Films Shown At Home And School Association Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Stirling Public School Home and School Association met on the evening of February 14th with a good attendance.

President W. Brown opened the meeting with "O Canada," after which the business of the meeting was conducted.

Rev. W. G. Fletcher, program convenor, took charge of the meeting and showed two films. The theme of the meeting was "Citizenship and Brotherhood" and the first film was "The Family Tree" which illustrated the growth of Canada since the first explorers, to the present day. The arrival of our ancestors was shown and with these pictures, songs familiar to the different nationalities were sung with Mrs. Clarke Rodgers at the piano and Rev. Fletcher leading the singing.

The second film was "Gaspé," showing the life and industries of the inhabitants.

The next meeting will be held on March 14th, when Mrs. Charlotte Horner, representative of the Northumberland Health Unit, will be the guest speaker.

The evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem, followed with lunch served by some of the ladies.

## W.I. Party

Stirling Women's Institute sponsored a euchre party on Monday night, with four tables participating in the play. The prize winners were: lady's first, Mrs. Lily Spry; 2nd, Mrs. J. A. Mitts; gent's first, Everett Cooke; 2nd, Mrs. A. Gordanier, playing as a gentleman. A delicious lunch was served and a social hour enjoyed.

## Annual "At Home" At High School Much Enjoyed

The annual "At Home" sponsored by Stirling High School Students' Council, was once again enjoyed by a large crowd of townspeople, graduates and students on Friday night last.

Music provided by Peter Battman's Orchestra, of Campbellford, proved pleasing to all those present.

The incoming guests were welcomed by a receiving line composed of Principal J. L. Good and Mrs. Good, Honorary President of the Students' Council, Reeve R. K. West and Mrs. West, Mr. Ronald Hadley and Miss Lois Cooke (President and Secretary of the Students' Council).

The school gym was artistically decorated to resemble the South Sea Islands, and many fine compliments were paid the decorating committee for their efforts.

At midnight a tasty lunch, prepared under the capable supervision of Miss Laura Lee, and her committee, was served.

The "home waltz" brought to an end one of the finest social events of the season.

## Sells Property

McIntosh & Wells have disposed of their property on Front St. West to Mrs. D. M. Sine, of Minto. The new owner will take possession at once.

## Canteen Robbed

On Friday night last thieves broke into the canteen operated at the local arena by Harry Jones and stole a quantity of cigarettes and chocolate bars. Police are investigating.

## Public Library Board Annual

The Stirling Public Library Board met at the library on Thursday evening, February 10th. The following officers were elected for the year 1955:

President — Mrs. Gordon W. Bailey  
Vice-President — Mrs. C. Albert Wells

Treasurer — Mrs. H. H. Alger  
Secretary and Librarian — Mr. Roger Meiklejohn

Property Committee — Mr. Russell West, Mr. J. L. Good

Book Committee — Mr. Douglas Patterson, Mrs. C. A. Wells and Mr. Kenneth Gillies.

## Local and Personal

Miss Gladys Bly, Toronto, is spending this week at the home of Miss Flossie Rosebush and Mr. Rosebush.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Eggleton and Mrs. C. I. Hatton were visiting friends in Nanapan on Sunday.

Messrs. W. L. Fox and Jas. Chambers spent Wednesday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thompson, of St. Ola, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eggleton.

Friends of Mrs. J. H. Beatty, "Hills-holme," will regret to learn that she is a patient in Kingston General Hospital.

Mr. R. A. Jackman is spending a vacation with his mother, Mrs. E. Jackman, of Belleville, and Mrs. Fanning, of Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Stride, of Vancouver, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sprentall. Mrs. Stride is Mrs. Sprentall's sister, the former Kathleen Chard.

Rev. H. C. Secker and Martin were in Bancroft Sunday evening. Rev. Secker exchanged services with the Rev. Owen Johnson. They were guests for tea at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Petch.

Friends of Mr. Frank Sarles, R.R. 2, Stirling, will be pleased to learn that he was able to return home from the Belleville General Hospital by ambulance on Saturday. He will be confined to his bed for the next month.

Mrs. Harry Hamilton, of Montreal, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Earle Green, and Mr. Green, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Heath, of Springbrook, this week.

## Police Commission Appointed At Special Session of Village Council

### Chimney Fire

The local Fire Brigade had a run to the premises of Mrs. Geo. White, corner Front and Frankford Road, about one p.m. on Wednesday to quell a chimney blaze.

### Injured In Fall

Mrs. Jane Clare, Charlotte St., suffered injuries to her hip in a fall at her home today (Thursday) morning and was taken to Belleville Hospital by Duffin's Ambulance. Mrs. J. Donohoe, a neighbour, heard the moans of the injured woman and summoned aid.

### Successful Card Party

In spite of inclement weather, twenty-one tables of Euchre and six tables of Bridge participated in the play at the party sponsored by Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211, in Stirling Community Hall last night.

In euchre the prize winners were: Ladies' high, Mrs. W. L. Pollock; ladies' low, Mrs. Lorne Wilson; gent's high, Jos. Grills; gent's low, Russell Pyear.

Mrs. J. L. Good had the greatest number of points among the ladies in Bridge, with Mrs. J. S. Whitehead winning the consolation prize. Don Rikley, of Belleville, was high among the men and Chas. Barnard the winner of the consolation prize. The door prize was won by Don Heath.

Dainty refreshments and a social hour brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

### Wellman's W.I. Euchre Party

A successful euchre was sponsored by Wellman's W.I. at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Clancy on Friday night. Nine tables took part in the play, with the following being the winners: Ladies' high, Douglas Clancy (playing as a lady); ladies' low, Mrs. Robert Wallace; gent's high, Douglas Cotten; gent's low, Gerald Clancy. The door prize was won by Mrs. Ben Dewey. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

### St. Paul's United Church Notes

The return visit of Carmel friends to St. Paul's will be on Sunday, February 20th at 7:30 p.m. On the recent visit of St. Paul's to Carmel, the Church was full and a wonderful fellowship enjoyed. The Carmel members will be in charge of Sunday's service and it is hoped that all friends will be present and remain for the social hour which is to follow.

#### Last Sunday

On Sunday evening last, Dr. Packman gave the first of a short series of talks on "Read the Bible with Me." "We are concerned," he said, with its origin, its significance and its abiding worth. Among the high achievement of man, none is greater than the writing of books.

Written thousands of years ago by men of an alien land, none of them scholars in our sense of the word, the Bible is a remarkable book and it is not untrue to say that the destiny of the world will depend very largely on men's attitude towards it.

The Bible presents us with a picture of life, of your life and of my life, here is man as he is and as he ought to be so that studying the Bible is but another way of studying life, here is man's sin and man's fever, his glory and his shame. But it would be a mistake to imagine that in the Bible man is the central figure, he is not. God is the central figure, one like the "Hound of Heaven" none can escape.

Though the most primitive sections of the Bible have been buried in a mass of later editorial matter, some one thousand years of scholarly research has now brought to light the historical perspective of the unfolding revelation of God and against the dark background of man's sin, the Glory of God is but heightened and more clearly seen.

### S. W. Eggleton Reappointed Chief Constable — Don Tucker Is Night Watchman

Members of Council decided at a special session on Thursday night last that police matters would be operated in future under a Police Commission. Subsequently Reeve R. K. West and Councillors H. Philip and K. Ray were appointed as members of the Commission. The meeting was presided over by Reeve West and all members of the Council were present.

Council resumed as a Committee of the Whole on Bylaws, with Councillor Harry Philip in the chair, and a lengthy discussion ensued relative to police protection for the Village. The following appointments were made under Bylaw No. 564:

Constable (day time)—S. W. Eggleton, at a salary of \$1500 plus gas allowance of \$300.

Night Watchman—Donald Tucker, at a salary of \$1700.

Sanitary Officer—S. Eggleton (no salary).

Truancy Officer—S. Eggleton (to be paid by School Board).

Weed Inspector—S. Eggleton (no salary).

Dog Tag Officer—S. Eggleton, 50c per dog after May 1st.

For Animal Bylaws — S. Eggleton (no salary).

### Deputation Heard

On resumption of general business, Council heard a deputation of H. J. Wells and H. C. Bird from the United Church seeking to purchase the Village parking lot on Emily St.

After some discussion it was moved by Councillors Bradshaw and Ray that no action be taken at this time on the sale of the lot, but if at any future time the Village decides to sell, the United Church be notified and given a chance to purchase the said lot.

On motion of Councillors Bradshaw and Wells, the Clerk was instructed to notify R. A. Patterson to furnish Donald Tucker with a uniform at the expense of the Village.

The matter of parking cars on Green Street was discussed and on motion of Councillors Bradshaw and Ray, the Clerk was instructed to have the full width of Green Street free of his cars by February 21st, and if not they will be moved by the Village authorities, at the expense of the owner.

Following discussion of a number of other minor items of business, Council adjourned.

## - COMING EVENTS -

COME ONE, COME ALL TO THE Pancake Tea, on Tuesday, February 22nd at 5:30, under the auspices of St. John's Guild. Adults 75c, Children 35c.

COME TO THE STIRLING ROTARY Club Monster Bingo, Stirling Theatre, Tuesday, March 1st at 8:00 p.m. Cash prizes - \$500, \$1000, \$500.00. Draw prize - Mix Master (complete). Advance tickets: 10 games for \$100. 10-2

EUCHRE PARTY, LEGION HALL, Tuesday, February 22nd, 8:00 p.m. Admission 35c; lunch served. Sponsored by St. James Catholic Women's League. 10-1p

EUCHRE PARTY, AUSPICES STIRLING L.O.L. No. 110, Tuesday, February 22nd at 8:00 p.m. Good prizes. Admission 50c. 10-1

ANNUAL FISH AND CHIP SUPPERS starting February 25th at 6:00 p.m. at Anglican Parish Hall. Adults 70c, Children 50c. Take out orders 50c (call 2110 before 5:00 p.m.). 10-6

FARM MACHINERY PICTURES, followed by Dance, Stirling Community Hall, Monday, February 28th at 8 p.m. Sponsored by Philip & Pyear, Case Dealers, Foxboro. Admission free. Everybody welcome. Draw for door prizes. 10-2p

DANCE IN STIRLING COMMUNITY Hall, Wednesday, February 23rd, sponsored by Sidney Junior Farmers. Geo. Potter's Dance Land Orch. Admission 75c each. Everybody welcome. 10-1p



## Mrs. D. Campbell Hostess To Mt. Pleasant W.M.S.

Sixteen members and eight visitors attended the February meeting of Mount Pleasant Woman's Missionary Society at the home of Mrs. Douglas Campbell. The president opened with the keyword "Hope." She also read an article re Miss Muriel Bamford, Missionary Nurse. Mrs. Ed. Richardson contributed auto-harp music and accompanied the hymns.

The various reports were given and Mrs. W. G. Fletcher dedicated the offering. The treasurer reported five annual fees paid and thirteen dollars for January.

Mrs. Burton Sharpe outlined the 5th chapter on "The Growth of the Indian Church." The United Church of Northern India stretches from Assam to Bombay. The Indore Christian College stands as a silent monument to the early missionaries, but there is yet much work to be accomplished.

The World Day of Prayer for Rawdon Circuit will be held on February 25th at Mount Pleasant United Church.

Mrs. Ira David presided over the devotional with Mrs. Will Jeffs contributing a vocal solo and accompanying the hymns on the guitar. Mrs. Will McAdam read the Bible Lesson and Mrs. Roy Thrasher offered prayer for Miss Metherall of Indore Hospital. Mrs. Ed. Richardson gave a musical number. Mrs. Raymond McConnell read a paper prepared by Mrs. John Mulheron on "St. Valentine, the Monk and his acts of love."

Rev. W. G. Fletcher was thanked for preparing programmes. The president conducted a brief business meeting. The hostess and her assistants served refreshments and was tendered a vote of thanks for hospitality.

## St. Paul's Baby Band

The first meeting of St. Paul's United Church Baby Band for 1955 was held at 3.00 p.m., February 9th in the

Sunday School with 25 children and five mothers present.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Jesus Loves Me" and a prayer. The leader, Mrs. Wilkins, told the story of the boy, Mauts, of Africa. Allan Morton took up the offering, after which was played the game "Our World Friends Circle," and the song, "Jesus Loves the Little Children," was sung.

The children practised the hymn for the Festival, "Jesus Bids Us Shine," and a new song, "What Can I Do, What Can I Say To Make Someone Happy Today?" The making of Valentines completed the meeting.

## Rylstone W.I.

The Rylstone Women's Institute held their meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ernest Irwin, with thirteen ladies and two children present. The meeting opened in the usual way with the Institute Ode and Mary Stewart Collect, with the President, Mrs. Wilfred Spencer, in the chair.

In the absence of the Secretary,

Mrs. Jack Watson, and her assistant, Mrs. Roy Fry, the minutes of the January meeting was read by Mrs. Ellis Jones. The roll call was answered by "What people do that annoys me most." Twenty-five cents per member is to be paid to help send a voting delegate to the A.C.W.W. convention in Ceylon in 1956. The Achievement Day for the Girl's Club will be held in the Community Hall, Stirling, on Saturday, February 26th. Mrs. Arthur Brick, leader of the Girl's Club, sent word for the mothers of the club members to attend along with their daughters.

A letter was read from the Penal Reform for Women and also one from the Mental Health Association. Sewing is to be done for the Campbellford Memorial Hospital as usual.

Mrs. Don Kerr, convener for Public Relations and Community Activities, had charge of the following program: Motto, "Begin Well and End Better," by Mrs. Thos. Fry; piano solo, "This Old House," and "Let the Sun Shine In," by Mrs. Ellis Jones.

Mrs. Ernest Irwin introduced the guest speaker, Police Chief Rose, of Campbellford, who spoke on the following topic, "Outline of Police Work in Campbellford."

A reading was given by Mrs. Fred Barnum, "Things Might Be Worse," followed by a reading, "Darwin's Mistake in Monkeydom," by Mrs. Fletcher Wildman; skit, "Henry's Wonderful Idea," by Mrs. Ernest Irwin, as Maria, and Mrs. Charles Stewart as Henry; contest, "Musical Terms," by Mrs. Jim Milne.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem. Lunch was served by the hostess and the lunch committee, Mrs. Thos. Fry and Mrs. Clair Irwin.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Gerald Barnum, when a short course will be held on "Brighten Your Home with Colour."

## Newcastle -- Trenton Highway To Proceed This Year

Extension of the four lane highway No. 401 east from Newcastle to Trenton is on the agenda of work to be carried on by the Ontario Department of Highways this year, according to Hon. William A. Goodfellow, M.P.P. for Northumberland.

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Highway has top priority in the government program for 1955 was given by Mr. Goodfellow to members of the Road Commission of the United Counties of Durham and Northumberland.

The four lane road between Trenton and Belleville has already been graded although it is not yet in use. The extension of the highway from Newcastle would connect with the Trenton - Belleville section at Trenton.

## Rawdon Council

Rawdon Township Council met at the Township Hall Harold, on Monday, February 7th, with all the members in attendance.

Sarles and McAdam that the following be paid the \$2.00 bounty on fox pelts: Charles Morton, \$4.00; W. A. Rathwell, \$4.00; J. R. Prest, \$2.00; Roy Wilman, \$2.00; Arthur Burkitt, \$2.00; Fred Mack, \$2.00; Orland Towns, \$4.00; Don Rodgers, \$4.00; William Johnson, \$6.00; Roy Finch, \$8.00.

Spry and Mumby, that a resolution be forwarded to the Department of Lands and Forests; also Game and Fisheries Division, prohibiting the use of dogs for hunting of deer in the twelve north Townships of the County of Hastings for a period of three years.

McAdam and Sarles that the Moira River Conservation Authority be paid the administration levy and reforestation levy of \$82.50.

Spry and Mumby that H. C. Martin be paid \$16.00, the renewal premium bond on the Treasurer of the Corporation of the Township of Rawdon.

McAdam and Sarles, that W. J. Barlow be paid two relief vouchers of \$3.77 and \$14.09.

Spry and Mumby that the Municipal World be paid \$37.16 for ten subscriptions and supplies.

McAdam and Sarles that the Treasurer of the City of Kingston be paid relief voucher for \$19.46.

Spry and McAdam that J. W. Barlow be refunded \$2.00 error on dog tax.

Council as a whole went into a committee on By-laws. By-law No. 753 was passed to provide for the total 1955 expenditures on roads in the Township of Rawdon.

Council reverted to general business and on motion by Spry and Mumby, the tender for a new half-ton pick up truck will be called for.

McAdam and Sarles that the Township of Rawdon purchase an electric welder.

Spry and Mumby that the delegates be paid their regular fees to attend the Ontario Good Roads Association and the Rural Municipality conventions.

Sarles and Spry that Road Voucher No. 1A for \$1,173.37 be paid. Council adjourned to meet next on Monday, March 7th at 1.30 p.m.

W. J. Barlow, Clerk

## No Red Lines On Bacon

A decision of interest to all Canadians who like bacon with their eggs has just been announced at Ottawa.

For some time consumer groups have been protesting the practice of some distributors in using red striped wrappers.

The meat packaging and vending industry has been warned by letter that the government intends to apply a ban on this type of packaging under the terms of the Food and Drugs Act.

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Libby's			
PORK & BEANS	20 oz. tin	5 for	\$1.00
Libby's			
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ROSE MARGARINE	4 lbs.	\$1.00	
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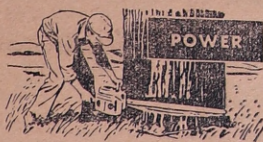
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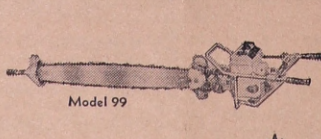
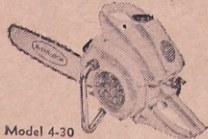
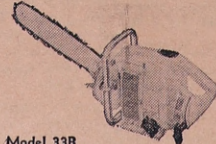
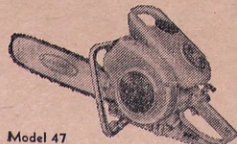
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## A Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr. Editor:

May I use your columns to draw public attention to an event which I am sure merits the interest and support of everyone in our community.

For the past six weeks it has been a common sight to see a veritable army of hockey players (pee-wee size) converging on Stirling Arena each Saturday morning. The boys have been waging some keen hockey battles under the watchful eyes of adult coaches and managers who give their time freely to see that our younger hockey players have an opportunity to play our national game.

The regular schedule has now been completed and the teams are preparing for a playoff series to decide the Pee-Wee championship of Stirling and District.

The semi-finals are scheduled for tonight (Thursday), commencing at 7.30 p.m., in the local arena. Two games will be played to decide who will meet in the finals for the league championship.

The finals will be played on Monday, February 21st, commencing at 7.30 p.m. Efforts are being made to secure a suitable trophy and crests for winning teams.

It is hoped that everyone will make it a special point to attend these games. Tickets can be obtained from players on each team or from Mr. Ken Gillies or Doug Patterson. Admission will be adults 25c, and all Public School children are admitted free. The dates once again are: Semi-finals, Thursday, February 17th and finals, Monday, February 21st, at 7.30 p.m.

Thanking you for your kindness in printing this letter and trusting that generous public support will be forthcoming.

Sincerely,

Doug Patterson

## Fluoridation Helps Tooth Decay

It has been proved definitely that fluoridation of water helps prevent tooth decay. Health Minister Martin said in a return tabled Monday in the Commons.

He said one part per 1,000,000 of fluoride in water supply is 65 per cent effective.

## Mrs. Earl Fox Hostess To St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The February meeting of St. Andrew's W.M.S. was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fox. The President, Mrs. Roy Eggleton, extended a hearty welcome to the members and visitors. After the singing of the hymn, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," Mrs. Eggleton led the meeting in prayer that our meetings this year may be in accordance with Thy will.

Mrs. Earl Fox read the minutes of the last meeting. The matter of the Bake Sale for the Bale was to be left over to the next meeting. The roll call followed. The word prayer was the keyword. It was encouraging that so many find time to find a verse of Scripture. At this time an expression of thanks was given to Miss Rosa Spry for her generosity in printing the programmes for the W.M.S. Each member is most grateful to Miss Spry for these programmes. Mrs. Earl Fox and Mrs. H. Rollins agreed to act as the visiting committee for this month.

The collection was taken by Mrs. R. A. Hermiston after which prayer was offered that the givings may come from our hearts.

The second part of the meeting was presided over by Mrs. R. A. Hermiston. The Scripture Lesson from Luke 10, verses 25 to 35, was read by Mrs. E. Foster. Mrs. (Rev.) W. H. V. Walker led the meeting in prayer for the people of India. The hymn "Jesus shall reign where'er the sun," was sung.

Mrs. R. A. Hermiston gave a vivid account of the geography of India as well as an account of her people. With a population of 362 million people in India, 302 million cannot read or write. Only 2 percent of that vast number of people can be claimed as Christians. The study book, "Face to Face with India," will bring us to see the need of these people. All these Indian people are real people. Magpuris, a mid-Indian city of nearly half a million people, is the focal centre of all the Protestant Missions in India.

The life and work of three Missionaries, now at work on the Mission fields in India, was read. Mrs. Blanche Reid read the work of Miss Bessie MacMurchy, R.N., who is training girls to become nurses on the Bhil Field. The life of Miss Mary Sher-

rick, B.A., was read by Mrs. A. O. Dalrymple. Miss Sherrick supervises the boarding school at Amkhut. Mrs. E. Hoard gave an account of the work of Miss Beatrice Scott, B.A. She is stationed at Mendha on the Bhil Field.

A piano solo, "In a Monastery Garden," was played by Mrs. V. Matthews.

The government official conditions in India was read by Mrs. Ken Ray. Both countries are a part of the British Commonwealth of Nations, but in 1947, India became independent. A description of the people and the weather of India was read by Mrs. W. L. Munro. The excessive heat causes people to become less energetic.

An article entitled, "Another Representative Indian," was read by Mrs. C. B. Rollins. The hymn, "Zion's King Shall Reign Victorious," brought the meeting to a close with the Mizpah Benediction.

The hostess assisted by Mrs. R. A. Hermiston and Mrs. Wright, served a delightful afternoon tea. On behalf of the Society, Mrs. H. Rollins thanked Mrs. Fox and her committee for the fine missionary programme and lunch.

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## Ivanhoe W.I. Met At Home Mrs. Geo. Wood

Ivanhoe Women's Institute was entertained by Mrs. G. Wood on Wednesday afternoon with twenty-three ladies present and two children.

President, Miss Jayne Gay, opened the meeting with the Ode and the Mary Stewart Collect. Mrs. Keith Bray presided at the piano. Mrs. J. Wright read the minutes of the last meeting and called the roll which was answered by "an article bought or made in Scotland." The treasurer reported and communications were read. It was voted that a donation be sent to the Sick Children's Hospital and the Mental Health Hospital; also that the Institute ask for the grant of \$3.00 and add \$6.00 more, and this money be used for educational purposes. The money is to be given as an award to the most efficient pupil, regardless of Grade, in the White Lake, West Huntingdon or Ivanhoe Schools. The teachers will be the judges.

The W.I. euchre party was reported on by Mrs. W. French. There were ten tables in play with the winners as follows: Ladies' first, Miss Carol Canniff; ladies' second, Mrs. Leo Coveney; gent's first, Harry Benson; gent's second, Mrs. H. Fitchett; men's

birthday prize, Barton Haggerty; ladies' birthday prize, Mrs. Jean O'Coin.

The programme was opened with a sing-song. Mrs. G. Wood contributed several numbers on her accordion.

The president introduced and welcomed the guest speaker, Mrs. K. Nickle, of Madoc, who chose as her subject, "International Day." The speaker told of her tour through the United Nations Headquarters in New York, explaining its location, structure, and interior decorations, whom they were donated by, the use of these headquarters such as the A.A.U.N., guide service, public correspondence unit, the public reception committee and the American Associations with the United Nations. Mrs. Nickle emphasized the need of reading and listening to the radio for more knowledge of the United Nations work and closed her educational talk with the use of a poem.

The president voiced the appreciation of all to Mrs. Nickle for her splendid address. Mrs. J. Wright gave an interesting paper on "Scotland." She told of its educational facilities, industrial manufacture, religion and historical background. She told of the organizing of the Institute in 1917 and the part played by the S.W.I.R. and the benefits derived from it. As women not only excel in their own homes, but are alive to worthy inter-

est outside by working together with other countries in all their undertakings.

A lovely solo was rendered by Mrs. Nickle, "Your Blessings," with Mrs. Bray at the piano. A contest, "The best made pottholder," was won by Miss E. Tanner. The pot holders were sold by Mrs. E. McMaster and a nice profit was realized.

The hostess was thanked and refreshments were served.

## Quick Can. Quizz

1. What animal is now the principal product of Canada's fur farms?
2. The total of taxes paid annually by the average Canadian family is \$465, \$959, or \$1,739?
3. Early European explorers of Canada were of what nationalities?
4. In what year was the secret ballot first used in a federal election in Canada?
5. Which is the greater amount, the total of personal annual savings of all Canadians or the total paid in federal taxes by all Canadians?

ANSWERS: 5 Total of personal savings equals about one third of the total paid in federal taxes. 3 French, British, Italian, Portuguese, Spanish. 1 The Mink. 4 In the election of 1878. 2 \$1,739.

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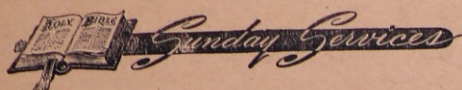
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**St. Andrew's**  
Presbyterian Church  
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

Stirling  
11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship and Church School

West Huntingdon  
2.30 p.m.—Church School  
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service

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St. John's, Stirling  
10.00 a.m.—Church School  
11.00 a.m.—Matins

Feb. 23rd Ash Wednesday 10.00 a.m.

Feb. 24 St. Matthias A.M. 9 a.m. H.C.

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA



STIRLING-CARMEL PASTORAL  
CHARGE

Rev. Arthur Packman, Minister  
St. Paul's

10.00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class

11.00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
"Thinking It Over." The Stirling Scouts and Guides will attend

7.30 p.m.—Carmel Church visit to St. Paul's. Followed by social hour

Carmel  
2.00 p.m.—Church School and Bible Class

2.45 p.m.—Short Service in Church  
February 25th — Woman's World Day of Prayer Service 2.30 p.m.

Rawdon Circuit  
UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA  
Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

11.00 a.m.—Mt. Pleasant  
2.30 p.m.—Wellman's  
7.30 p.m.—Bethel

### Mount Pleasant

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith and Kenneth accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison, on a holiday to St. Petersburg, Florida, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharpe and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar McKeown were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMaster, of Ivanhoe.

Mr. Wiley McEathron, of Banoroff, is ill with the mumps at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies and Mr. Jack McEathron.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Mac Sharp has been a patient in Belleville General Hospital for the past week. The little lad is still in an oxygen tent.

Master Roger Smith is spending some time with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoard.

Mrs. Ervin Bateman, Thomasburg, is spending a few days with her

daughter, Mrs. Ed. Richardson and family. On Sunday morning, February 13th, Mrs. Bateman accompanied Mr. Richardson to Holloway Street United Church, Belleville, where they attended a baptismal service for the former's grandson.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharpe spent an evening last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan.

Mr. Orno Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Richardson attended the Leadership Training Course at Marmora on February 9th.

Miss Eleanor Smith is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. Edna Wright, in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharpe were supper guests on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McKeown, at Bethel.

On Thursday evening, February 10th, an enjoyable evening was spent at the Church Hall when the Two-by-

Two Club entertained Campbellford Young Adults. Approximately seventy people, members, visitors and children, were in attendance. The hall was gaily decorated in a Valentine colour scheme. Mr. Ed. Richardson, president, voiced a gracious welcome and the visitors conducted an impressive devotional period, followed by an interesting programme. The recreation was in charge of Mrs. Will McAdam and Mrs. Harvey Couch. At the close a salad luncheon was served. The evening closed with the Friendship Circle and prayer.

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### GRACE CHAPEL

Sun., February 20th, 1955

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School

11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper

2.00 p.m.—Gospel Belts, C.J.B.Q.

7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service

SPEAKER

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

### STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

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11.00 a.m.—Worship Service  
7.30 p.m.—Evangelistic

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### RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE



Friday evening, February 18th at 8.15 Euchre Party at School House. Convener Mrs. Gilbert Finkle; prizes donated by Mr. and Mrs. John Kane. Everyone welcome. Admission 25c Refreshments served.

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by either sex are to be distinguished by the following Capitals affixed to their names, U.E., alluding to their great principle "The Unity of the Empire."

Mrs. Harvey Couch and the pupils of S.S. No. 4, Williams School, held their Valentine Party on Tuesday, February 16th.

Miss Audrey Newell and the Pupils of S.S. No. 3, Allan School, entertained the mothers and small children on Friday afternoon to a Valentine Party. The windows were decorated with cupids and hearts and all enjoyed an exchange of Valentines. Roger Smith, President of the Junior Red Cross, was in charge of the programme. Gail Scott and Shirley Potts gave a vocal duet. Grade III staged an animal play. Raeburn Scott read a selection. Grade VIII depicted "Secrets in the Woods." David Potts, Raeburn Scott and Roger Smith contributed a vocal trio. The mothers provided a bountiful lunch of sandwiches, cookies, candy, ice cream and hot chocolate.

### Rylstone

Valentine Party

The pupils of the Union School and their teacher, Mrs. Cora Reid, held their Junior Red Cross Meeting and Valentine Party on Friday afternoon. President of the Jr. Red Cross, Malyn Jones, was in charge of the following programme:

Secretary's report; Nursery Rhymes, by the Juniors; vocal solo, by Carol Milne, accompanied by Miriam Rutherford at the piano; piano solo, "My Blue Heaven," by Patsy Spencer; junior songs, "Happy Songs" and "The Candy Shop," piano solo, "Long Long Ago," by Agnes McKeown; piano solo, by Carol Milne; reading, by Fred Spencer; story, "Bobbie and the Frog," read by Mrs. Reid; Valentine Post Office.

Cake, cookies and candy was served at the close of the programme. Some little visitors at the party were Dennis and Ross Finch, Brian Thomson and Carl Akins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Walt Reid and Geordie, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Munby, Tommie and Ronnie, were Friday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Verney Heath, Ridge Road, Stirling. Don Heath has been spending some time with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Verney Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Geordie Sutherland and family, Stirling, were Tuesday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson and Mrs. Lizzie Thomson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mumby and Suzanne and Mr. Robert Mumby were supper guests Friday with Mrs. Minnie Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Spencer and family and Mrs. Ellis Jones were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Husband, Napanee. Mr. and Mrs. Husband (nee Gladys Spencer) celebrated their silver wedding anniversary recently.

Mrs. Ruth White, Coe Hill, was a visitor over the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Petherick, Stanwood; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Sherman, all of Campbellford, were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Petherick and family. It was the birthday celebration for Mr. Dan Petherick and his granddaughter, Marian, whose birthdays occur on Saturday and Monday. We wish them Many Happy Returns.

Ruth Petherick, of Campbellford, spent the week-end under the parental roof.

### 9th Line Party

The teacher, Mrs. Murray Meiklejohn and pupils of the 9th Line School held their Junior Red Cross meeting and Valentine Party at the school on Monday afternoon. Glen Stewart, president of the Jr. Red Cross, had charge of the meeting and Donna Morton, secretary, read the report of the last meeting.

After a short programme, contests and games, were played and winners and buns enjoyed by all.

### Ivanhoe

Mrs. Arthur Green, Miss Ethel Brodie, Toronto; Mr. Harper Gay, Mrs. Robt. Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm, Miss Betty Chisholm and Miss Frances King, Niagara Falls; Miss Edith Dunn, Salamanca, N.Y., attended the funeral of the late Mrs. John Gay on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell, Foxboro; Prof. Ralph Campbell, Guelph, and Mrs. Wm. Shaw were Saturday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw.

Mrs. Harry Benson and Miss Helen Kerby spent the week-end in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Arthurs, Teddy and Barbara, of Foxboro, spent Sunday with Mrs. Henry Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Prest, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw attended the Sidney Federation of Agriculture banquet in Stirling on Friday evening.

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Mrs. C. B. Hamm, of Belleville, spent the week-end with Miss Annie and Bessie Fleming.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw and Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shaw spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walton Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Reid.

It was with sadness and regret that this community learned of the sudden death of Mrs. John Gay on Saturday, February 12th.

She was a devoted wife and mother and since coming here to reside sixteen years ago, has made a host of friends. In the passing of Eva Gay, this community has lost a good neighbour and a loyal friend, who will be long remembered for her kindness and gracious hospitality. Our hearts go out in sympathy to her sorrowing family.

### Marsh Hill

Miss Marilyn Finkle returned home from Belleville Hospital on Sunday, but will be confined to her bed for sometime.

A number from here attended the Sidney Federation of Agriculture banquet Friday night at Stirling, when Prof. Ralph Campbell, of Guelph, was the guest speaker.

Marsh Hill Public School was broken into on Sunday night. The intruders forced their way into the building but nothing was taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell and Prof. Ralph Campbell, of Guelph, were supper guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw, of Ivanhoe.

### Wellman's

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and children were tea guests on Thursday with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Watson and Anne were supper guests on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham.

Mrs. Victor Graham took dinner on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pollock, of Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock and Virginia took supper Wednesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Pollock, Stirling.

Rev. and Mrs. Fletcher, Allen and Janet, were dinner guests Sunday at

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Watson and Anne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Dean and children were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pauley and Cecil. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pollock and Virginia were recent tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham.

Mrs. Walter Dracup is spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gordon Foster and Mr. Foster, of Moira.

### Rawdon Hockey Semi-Finals

On Tuesday evening of the past week two games were played in the Rawdon Hockey league semi-finals.

In the first game of the double header, Stirling came out on top by defeating Springbrook West by a 5 to 3 score. Hadley led the scoring for Stirling with 4 goals, aided by one by Tucker. Springbrook West goals were Leonard (2) and Joe Jackson one.

Springbrook East were victors over Rylstone in the second game by a count of 12 to 7. Goal getters for Springbrook East were Jack Reid (5), Bill Reid (3), Dan Reid (3), and Jewell Ray 1. For Rylstone goal getters were Alf Redcliffe (2), Earl Redcliffe (2), and one each by Jim Morton, Claude McInroy and John Petherick.

### River Valley 4-H Sewing Club

The seventh meeting of the River Valley Sewing Club was held on February 9th. Roll call was answered by each member telling of a new accessory or garment that is needed in the wardrobe, and that will fit into the wardrobe. All the members were present, accompanied by Mrs. Conley and Mrs. Heasman.

During the meeting the girls worked on their blouses and record books, and were asked to have them finished for the next meeting. Marilyn Reid was appointed to serve at the Achievement Day.

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The sympathy of the community is extended to the family of the late Wm. Hagerman, who passed away Saturday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Will Wright.

Miss Edna Tanner, Messrs. George and Clare Tanner were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hagerman, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Hagerman and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Reide, of Holloway, were last Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Bateman, Tweed, the occasion being Mrs. Reide's and Mr. Hagerman's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carman Colden, of Springbrook, were tea hour guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Colden on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Vance entertained Mr. and Mrs. Harper Bateman, Marilyn and Shirley, of Springbrook, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Almes and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kerr, of Toronto, to supper on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Harris, of Ebenezer, N.Y., and Mrs. Mary Smith, of Tweed, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Will Joyce.

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## OF MANY THINGS

(By Ambrose Hills)

### HOW FREE AM I?

I seem to be making some people angry these days. A reader in high dudgeon writes, "You talk a lot about free enterprise. But how free is the man who has to go to work each morning when the factory whistle blows? How free is a hungry man? Indeed, since you talk so much about it, how free are you?"

Let's just ignore the sarcasm and try to answer the man's questions.

First, about that man who has to go to work each morning when the factory whistle blows. Yes, I think he is free, and I also think he is lucky. In Canada, the factory whistle says, "Your job is here, if you want it, at fair pay, in decent surroundings. If you don't like this factory you can stay home, or you can try another factory, or be a salesman, or a carpenter, or whatever you can persuade customers you can do well. You can even start your own factory if enough friends have confidence in you to

help you raise the money." That's quite a bit of freedom. It would be quite different if all the factories were owned by the government, and the government blew the factory whistle. Then it would say, "Your supreme boss is calling. Get down to work — or starve!" That's the kind of thing I fear when the government owns more and more every day.

Now, the second question was: How free is a hungry man? Thank God, free men in free countries are not so likely to be hungry as are the citizens of slave states where the government is in supreme command. A hungry man is in a tragic position, whether he be free or slave, just as a man afflicted with small pox is in a tragic condition. But the hungry man, if free, has an opportunity in a million different ways to earn food for himself and his family. He can earn more easily here in a free country than he can anywhere else in the world.

And how free am I? Well, I still think I'm pretty free. My opinions are published in hundreds of papers where

I've never met the editor at all, where I have not the slightest pull or influence. I write exactly as I please. Editors who disagree with me consign me to the wastebasket, or publish me and let readers decide to believe or not believe. If my facts are wrong, they check me up fast.

Because I'm a writer, I'm glad the press is still free. Radio and TV are not so free, more's the pity, because the government has taken a hand there and criticism of the government is rare and timid on the air. I feel sorry for radio news commentators, because if they displease the government they've no other national radio chain to turn to. That's why I argue so often on that point.

I haven't answered the questions fully. There's not enough space. But I hope I've given the angry man who wrote me so sarcastically a fair answer that will make him think — unless he prefers to let freedom go altogether because it takes some energy to keep it alive!

NEWS-ARGUS ADS. PAY

## Bethel Mission Band

The newly-organized Mission Band at Bethel United Church on the Rawdon circuit held their initial meeting in Bethel Hall on Sunday morning, February 6th with twenty children in attendance. The new leader, Mrs. John Mulhern, was in charge of the service. She gave a talk on "The Aims and Objects of a Mission Band" and the necessity of studying about boys and girls of other lands. All sang "Father We Thank Thee". Mrs. W. G. Fletcher as narrator, with Allen Fletcher in charge of the projection presented a film, "The Life of Christ".

Mrs. Mulhern told a story of interest entitled "Journey Through the Years" and prayer. Marlene Hadley read the Bible lesson and all repeated in unison, "The Mission Band Purpose".

The slate of officers were installed as follows: President, Ronnie Heath; vice-president, Patsy Thompson; secretary, Barbara Hadley; assistant secretary, Ellen Treneer; treasurer, Barbara Green.

Plans were made to convene every third Sunday morning. Ten fees were paid and the first meeting was a great success.

## Petherick's

Messrs. Aylmer Petherick, Fred Barnum, Thos. Fry and George Brunton, attended the School for Elders at Codrington Church on Wednesday night of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barnum on Saturday. Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Loynes and family, of Belleville, also were present.

Mr. David Cleugh and Mr. Ronald Griffen, of California, spent the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aylmer Petherick.

## Zion W.A.

Zion Woman's Association met in the Sunday School room on Wednesday afternoon with eighteen ladies present. Mrs. Arthur Brick was hostess and the President, Mrs. Caroline Wright, presided for the meeting, which opened with the hymn, "O God of Bethel" and prayer. The Scripture Lesson, Psalm 46, was read by Mrs. Douglas Ingram.

The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were given and business followed.

A question box was conducted by Mrs. C. Wright. Mrs. Carl Linn gave a reading. Mrs. Frank Osborne conducted a contest. The meeting closed with the singing of the hymn "Stand

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17th, 1955

Up for Jesus" and the Mizpah Benediction.

Lunch was served by the hostess and her committee. The March meeting will be held in the Sunday School room on March 8th.

## 3 Act Comedy

The 3-act comedy, "The Ginger Girl," presented by the Seymour United Church Y.P.U., in the Orange Hall, Pethericks Corners, on Thursday evening, was well received by the large appreciative audience. The play, under the direction of Rev. G. Whitehorn, was well presented and was very humorous throughout.

Between acts tap dancing by Betty and Beverly Linn and a duet by Gail Southworth and Beverly Burkitt were given.

## Bonarlaw

Mrs. S. G. Rombough, of Bonarlaw, and daughter, Barbara, of Peterborough, spent last week-end in Toronto and attended a performance of the Canadian National Ballet at the Royal Alexandra Theatre while in the city.

## St. Mark's W.A.

The February meeting of St. Mark's W.A. was held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Wm. Neal with a good attendance. The President, Mrs. Wellman, was in charge. Canon J. M. Brownlie conducted the devotional exercises. Mrs. C. J. Fraser read the Scripture Lesson.

Following the minutes of the last meeting the newly elected treasurer, Mrs. George Mumby, reported a bank balance of \$364.19, with all obligations paid. Mrs. Campney thanked the W.A. for the lovely plant she received and Mrs. Storms for the box of fruit. Mrs. Campney read a chapter from

the study book on India. Mrs. C. J. Fraser was in charge of a lovely programme. Mr. Brownlie closed the meeting and the hostess served refreshments.

## Pictures, Maps Enhance Book On Rosier-Rosebush Family

Mr. Waldo E. Rosebush, Appleton, Wisconsin, has compiled and had printed a 180-page book of "The Rosier-Rosebush Family."

There is a wealth of pictures and maps and one is a land map of the area around Stirling, Ont. Another is a pioneer picture comprising the Townships of Rawdon and Sidney in Hastings County.

Several church records from Stirling appear on the pages, also extracts written by Philo White for "The Stirling News-Argus." Philo tells of Joseph Rosebush and his family of ten children and where they all were settled and his story was written in 1886.

Philo was born in 1809, and was a civil engineer conducting land surveys. He wrote many articles for various journals. There is a thrilling story of how the family arrived "on ice" and landed on a point of land jutting from the east bank of the Trent River, where it bends westwardly to Glen Ross. They spent the winter there and in the spring one son came to "Hubble Hill," now known as Mount Pleasant, Rawdon, and remained there for a few months before moving on.

## Crown Property Deeded

The property at Trent River was eventually deeded from the Crown and for seven generations "Rosebushes" have occupied the land.

The book contains items written by Dr. Harry W. Mack, Detroit; Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Mount Pleasant; Mrs. Roy Bush, River Valley, and a full appendix of the various families who have intermarried in the Rosebush clan. A full outline of "The William White Family" with their pioneer thriller of the little boy spending three days in the Indian camp; a full history of the "Westcott" family of "Hubble Hill"; "The Hoard and Chard" families, as well as the Luerys of Stirling, all appear in print.

The book is full of interesting United Empire Loyalist history, and is a gold mine of by-gone days, all arranged in good form. It is understood that the Stirling, Belleville and Trenton Public Libraries each have a reference copy.

Mrs. Roy Bush, Stirling, R.R. 4, received her copy a short time ago and has found the many exclusive articles most interesting. The book was published in Appleton, Wisconsin, in September 1954. The pictures are of the pioneers of Rhode Island and of Alfred, New York, the Rosebush family, of New York State, the Rosebush families of Ontario, and the Lewis Rosebush homestead along the Trent River, the excursion boat "Stoney Lonesome" and many other views of particular interest to folks in this area.

The abridged edition is also a book of interest to the youth of today who are connected up with the early pioneers.

## Borrow For Less

The general public eventually may be able to borrow money at lower interest rates as a result of the Bank of Canada's decision to reduce its charges on loans to chartered banks.

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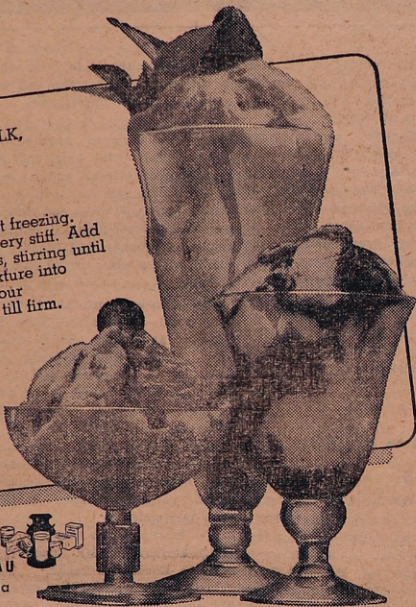
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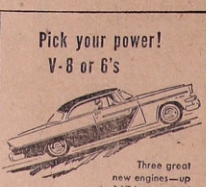
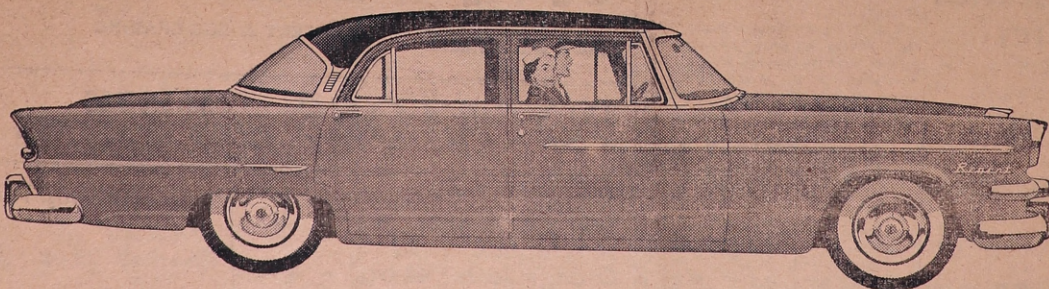
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Another old pioneer who helped to pave Ontario's foundation and who saw 90 years of living, has been laid to rest.

Gilbert Dudley Bly, who was born August 26th, 1864 near Brighton, Ont., died February 11th, at the Dewson Private Hospital, Toronto.

The late Mr. Bly was a very clever and energetic man, and spent his life improving industry and man's livelihood. He was formerly a Marine Engineer and later an Electrical Engineer, assisting in turning on some

of the first street electric lights in the city of Toronto. He invented many devices, having had some of them patented.

He has lived in Toronto for the past fifty years where he was for a number of years a member of Grace United Church having served on its board and of late years a member of Erskine United Church. He was a member of the General Mercer Lodge A.F. & A.M. Up until a very short time ago he continued his interest in progress and current activities.

He spent most of his vacation for the last 40 years at the Trent River, where due to his jovial nature, he made a large circle of friends.

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The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Francis Stevens at the Earle Elliott Funeral Home Chapel, Toronto on Sunday, February 13th.

On Monday, February 14th, in the presence of a number of friends from Stirling, an impressive committal service was conducted by Dr. A. Packman of St. Paul's Church, Stirling, at Stirling Cemetery, where the deceased was entombed by the Duffin Funeral Service.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Sam Chisholm, Omar Chisholm, Harry Phillips, Jack Bush, Glenn Bush and Robt. Hulin.

#### MRS. ROBERT JOHN GAY

Mrs. Eva Geraldine Gay, died suddenly Saturday at her home, R.R. 1, Ivanhoe. She was in her 70th year.

The deceased was born in Humberstone, Ont., the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hanna, and lived

in Niagara Falls, Ont., prior to moving to Ivanhoe 16 years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Robert John Gay, a daughter, Miss Jane Gay, at home; and two sons, Robert, of Long Branch, and William, at home.

Also surviving her is a brother, LeRoy Hanna, of Niagara Falls.

The deceased was a member of Grace Gospel Church, Niagara Falls, and attended West Huntingdon United Church. She was a member of the Women's Institute and the Woman's Missionary Society.

The funeral took place at her late residence, Ivanhoe, on Tuesday afternoon, with Mr. W. Belch, of Belleville, conducting the service. Mrs. W. Grant, of West Huntingdon, rendered two vocal solos during the service.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Herb Burke, M. Kerby, R. B. Murray, J. McAvoy, P. McAvoy and Ted Pollock. Interment in White Lake Cemetery.

#### WILLIAM HAGERMAN

William Hagerman, R.R. 1, Harold, died Saturday, February 12th, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Wright, after being in failing health for some time. He was in his 98th year.

The deceased was born in Rawdon Township, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hagerman, and lived his whole life in this district.

He was predeceased by his wife, the former Fannie Rutten Sills, 44 years ago. He is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Annie Searles, R.R. 4, Stirling; Mrs. William (Lena) Wright, Harold; Mrs. Arthur (Alice) Hagerman, Ivanhoe; Mrs. Gladstone (Edna) Parks, Stirling, and one son, J. B. Hagerman, of Harold.

He was predeceased by one daughter and two sons.

Also surviving him are 12 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren. He was the last of his family.

The deceased was a member of Salem United Church; Tanner Lodge, L.O.L., No. 509; Wellman's R.B.P., and Past Master of the Orange Lodge.

On Sunday evening Tanner L.O.L., No. 509, conducted a memorial service with Murney Johnston, Past District Master, substituting for the Worshipful Master, who was a grandson of the deceased. He was assisted by Deputy Master Earl McMaster and Chaplain William J. Johnston.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon from the Duffin Funeral Home, Stirling, to St. Paul's United Church, where service was conducted by Rev. Hogerward, of Ivanhoe. During the service Mrs. Francis Jeffrey rendered a vocal solo, accompanied by Mrs. R. Williams.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Garnet Searles, Lorne Hagerman, Geo. Wood, Ralph Parks, Earl Horton and Claire Hagerman, all grandsons of the deceased.

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### Minister Highways

The Hon. Jas. N. Allan in his first public speech upon assuming the direction of the Department of Highways of Ontario, used words which are likely to appeal to safety workers

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### Gift To Public Library

Mr. W. E. Rosebush, of Appleton, Wisconsin, has presented to the Stirling Public Library a copy of his history of the Rosier - Rosebush family. This is a beautifully produced volume, printed on best quality paper, and replete with photographs, sketches and maps. Besides giving the genealogical tree in minute detail it contains many articles which should be of interest to those who know the Bay of Quinte District. It is a work which represents a great expenditure of time and research work, and the Library Board is pleased to accept Mr. Rosebush's generous gift and place it at the disposal of the reading public. Won't you drop in and enjoy it?

### Stirling W.I.

The Stirling Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Marguerite Rodgers with the President in the chair. The Ode was sung and all repeated the Mary Stewart Collect. Roll call was answered by "Suggestions on Town Improvement." Twelve members and three visitors were in attendance.

Thank you cards were received from several members for fruit boxes and sympathy cards. Several letters were read from the Department at Toronto; also an invitation to the Institute to cater to a machine demonstration in the Community Hall on the 28th of February.

The programme committee under the convenship of Mrs. R. Williams presented a reading on "Valentine Day" by Mrs. Hiram Rodgers, and a reading by Mrs. McMurray. Community singing was also enjoyed.

The committee served a lovely lunch of sandwiches and cookies. Mrs. L. Rodgers moved a vote of thanks to Mrs. Rodgers for the use of her home and the lunch committee for their lovely lunch.

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### Stirling Rotarians Honour Memory P. Harris, Founder of Organization

#### "In The Beginning," Por- trayed By The Members — Attendance Trophy Won

On the eve of Rotary's Golden Anniversary, Stirling Rotarians paid fitting tribute to the memory of Paul Harris, founder of the organization, at their regular weekly meeting on Tuesday night.

President R. W. Vandervoort occupied the chair and there was a 100% attendance of the members. A toast to Paul Harris, the founder of Rotary International, was ably proposed by Rotarian Wm. Cornett.

A short skit, "In The Beginning," depicting the discussions of Paul Harris and three of his law clients — which led to the organization of the first Rotary Club was ably presented by several of the members. Dr. Cornett played the part of Paul Harris, with A. O. Dalrymple, as Silvester Schiele, a coal merchant; Geo. Noble, as Gustavus Loehr, a mining engineer, and Harold Wells, as Hiram Shorey, a merchant tailor. President Ralph acted as narrator and Bob Patterson represented Harry Ruggles, a printer, and the first song leader of the newly formed club.

#### Attendance Trophy

The head table was graced with the Attendance Trophy, which the local club won for the second time by having the best attendance in the district during the month of January. President Ralph thanked the members for their co-operation in making this possible and urged them to continue the good work.

Rotarian James Wright voiced the thanks of the club to those present on the skit.

#### Paul Harris Founder

It is surely appropriate on the occasion of Rotary's Golden Anniversary to recall the man who is responsible for all the inception of this movement. Paul Harris had a busy and varied life and it was his good fortune to live through to the days when Rotary had already attained most of its present might.

#### Early Days

He was born in Racine, Wisconsin, on April 19th, 1868, and when he was three years old he was taken to Wallingford, Vermont, to live with his paternal grandparents. The Black River Academy at Ludlow, Vermont, and Vermont Academy at Saxtons River prepared him for his studies at the University of Vermont, Princeton University and the University of Iowa.

Following his graduation from the law school of the University of Iowa, in 1891, he determined to spend the next five years in seeing the world and in coming to know his fellow men before settling down to practice law in Chicago. He worked as a reporter on newspapers in San Francisco and Denver, was a teacher in a Los Angeles business college, worked on a California fruit farm and in a raisin-packing factory, was an actor in a Denver stock company and a cowboy on a Colorado ranch. Then he went to the southern part of the United States where he picked oranges in Louisiana and travelled extensively as a salesman for a marble and granite concern. He made two trips to England, working on cattle boats and later travelled to Europe to visit the granite regions of Scotland and the marble regions of Ireland, Belgium and Italy for his company. These five years of knock-about experiences broadened his vision and the acquaintances which he made in college and on these travels were of material assistance in the early extension of Rotary.

#### Settled in Chicago

In 1896 his five-year period of wanderings was over and, as he had planned, Paul Harris went to Chicago to practice law. One day in 1900 he dined with a lawyer friend in Rogers Park, a residential section of Chicago. After dinner he took a walk with his



PAUL HARRIS

friend and was impressed by the fact that his friend stopped at several stores and shops in the neighbourhood and introduced him to the proprietors, who were his friends. Paul Harris' law clients were business friends, not social friends, but this experience set him to wondering why he couldn't make social friends out of at least some of his business friends — and he resolved to organize a club which would band together a group of representative business and professional men in friendship and fellowship.

For the next several years he devoted a great deal of time to reflection on conditions of life and business and by 1905, he had formulated a definite philosophy of business relations. Talking it over with three of his law clients — Silvester Schiele, a coal merchant; Gustavus Loehr, a mining engineer, and Hiram Shorey, a merchant tailor — he decided, with them, to organize the club which he had been planning since 1900. On February 23rd, 1905, the club's first meeting took place and the nucleus was formed for the thousands of Rotary Clubs which were later organized throughout the world. The new club, which Paul Harris named "Rotary" because the members met, in rotation, in their various places of business, met with general approval and the club membership grew rapidly. Almost every member had come to Chicago from a small town and in the Rotary Club they found an opportunity for the intimate acquaintanceship of their boyhood days. When Paul Harris became president of the club in its third year he was ambitious to advance its growth and to extend the Rotary movement to other cities because he was convinced that the idea of the Rotary Club which had appealed to a small group of friends in Chicago could be developed into an important movement.

#### Rotary Expands

The Second Rotary Club was founded in San Francisco in 1908 and then other clubs were organized until in 1910, when there were 16 clubs, it was decided that they should be united into an organization which would extend the movement to other cities and serve as a clearing house for the exchange of ideas among the clubs. Representatives from the clubs met in Chicago in August, 1910, and organized the National Association of Rotary Clubs. When clubs were formed in Canada and Great Britain, making the movement international in scope, the name was changed, in 1912, to the International Association of Rotary Clubs, and in 1922 the name was shortened to Rotary International. Paul Harris was the first president of the National Association and the first president of the International Association.

When he passed away in January, 1947, he was President Emeritus of Rotary International.

### Parents' Night At Cub Meeting

On Monday, February 21st, the Cubs entertained some forty-five parents at their regular meeting, which opened with Baloo breaking the flag and the Grand Howl, led by Allen Tanner. Bageera offered prayer in memory of the founder, Lord Baden Powell, after which Baloo took over and the Cubs had a steam-boat game.

A skit was presented, under the direction of Akela, depicting the progress of a boy from his start in Cubbing at 8 years of age, until he earns his second star and advances into Scouts. All the boys took part in this and did their parts exceptionally well.

Rev. W. G. Fletcher told the boys a story and Rikkie led the boys in an action song, after which Jack Donnan recited "The Tenderpad."

Akela presented the following boys with badges, Keunee Keuning, Bob Donohoe, and Denny Armstrong, with Artist Badges; Peter Bosiac and Bob Donohoe, with Collector badges; Allen Johnson, with an Athlete's badge.

Baloo led in a round of campfire songs and the meeting closed with the campfire closing. Lunch was served by the leaders and thus closed the first Parent's Night.

### L.O.L. No. 110 Sponsors Euchre

Fourteen tables participated in the euchre party, sponsored by L.O.L. No. 110, in the lodge room on Tuesday night. Mrs. Earle Green was the winner of the ladies' high prize, with Mrs. T. Hinds winning the consolation. For the gentlemen Harold McGee had the most points with Bob Sine, of Belleville, winning the consolation prize. The door prize was won by Mrs. Gordon Mitts. Dainty refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

### Stirling 4-H Girls Harmony Club Prepare For Achievement Day

The Girl's Harmony Thimble 4-H Club held its closing meeting at the home of the Assistant Leader, Mrs. A. Dalrymple on Wednesday evening of last week with a good attendance. One member was absent due to an attack of flu. Miss Marlene Moorcroft the President, opened the meeting with the roll call, "completion of work on blouses."

The bills were presented and ordered paid. This club is self-supporting and is in no way connected with the local Women's Institute. A "thank you" note was voted to be sent by the Secretary to Mr. Dalrymple and Mr. Francis for the use of the Agriculture Board Room for the classes. The club appreciates the kindness very much as it is a central place for the meetings.

As the Achievement Day is Saturday, February 26th at the Community Hall, the Club Girls were asked to invite girl chums who may be interested in club work, and a special invitation to the girls mothers. Leader, Mrs. Perry Bronson, discussed the final preparations of Achievement Day.

Miss Jeanette Ayhrath was appointed to do the serving at noon lunch on Achievement Day. This club is to furnish sandwiches. Miss Marlene Carlisle will be the voting delegate for the Harmony Thimble Club for the new project to follow favoured by this club.

After business the Junior girls completed their record books with decorative covers. This was followed by a skit practice in which all club members participated, which will be presented along with several other 4-H Clubs competing on Achievement Day. The meeting closed with the recitation of the Mizpah Benediction. The hostess served tasty refreshments which were enjoyed.

### Carmel Church Visits St. Paul's

On Sunday evening the Carmel Church visited St. Paul's United Church. The service was conducted by Mr. Harry Brown who, in spite of a recent injury, proved himself well fitted for the task.

Mrs. Arthur Pyear presided at the organ and a good choir rendered some fine singing. The anthems "God So Loved The World" and "Great Is The Lord" were well sung, the solo parts of the latter being taken by Mrs. Gerald Clancy and Mr. Douglas Pyear. Mrs. Clancy and Douglas Pyear also sang a duet, "Come Almighty To Deliver."

Mr. Ernest Carlisle brought greetings from Carmel. The Lessons were read by Mr. Archie Bailey and Mr. Russell Pyear.

Later in the school room, about 120 friends were entertained by St. Paul's W.A., this with some much loved singing was heartily enjoyed. Several Carmel friends and friends of St. Paul's made short speeches and all felt that this exchange of visits should be repeated at a convenient day in the future.

### John K. Ray Awarded Gilt Cross

John Ray, 14, son of Councillor and Mrs. Kenneth Ray, Church St., and a member of the local Boy Scout Troop, has been awarded the Gilt Cross in recognition of his quick thinking and presence of mind in saving Michael Long from drowning at Oak Lake in August last.

Boy Scout headquarters have announced that Governor General Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, Chief Scout for Canada, has approved the award, which will be presented at some future date.

John also received a medal emblem to be worn on his Scout uniform.

### Scouts And Guides Attend St. Paul's On Founder's Sunday

A crowded church saw a splendid parade of Scouts and Guides with their juniors and Officers on Sunday last at St. Paul's United Church for their Founder's Day service. There was a touch of neatness and evidence of good training in the orderliness with which the parade was carried out. The Officers are to be highly commended for the fine work being done for our youth; a more worthwhile job is hard to imagine.

The address was directed to the re-thinking about the Promises we make when we ask to join these organizations and the decisions involved in doing so. As in the case of marriage or of one's Life Plan, this is not an occasion for a quick decision, it is something we have to think about for it involves one's honour.

### River Valley Euchre

In Friday evening, February 18th, River Valley Women's Institute sponsored another Euchre Party at the school house with Mrs. Gilbert Finkle as convener. There were ten tables in play and guests were in attendance from Havelock, Stockdale, Stirling and Madoc Junction. The prizes were donated by Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and the winners were as follows: Ladies, Mrs. J. R. Donohoe; ladies' low, George Heasman, playing as a lady; men, Gerald Brooks and Billy Conley.

Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed. Mrs. Evelyn Finkle will provide the prizes for next week's party.

### Boy Scout Paper Drive Saturday

The Stirling Boy Scouts will be holding a waste paper collection on Saturday next, February 26th. Please tie your paper in bundles or in boxes and leave in front of your house and the Scouts will pick them up.

### Fractures Leg

Walter Wright is confined to his home suffering from a fractured leg, sustained when the truck he was driving went out of control and rolled over on a curve on Highway 33 just south of the Village last Thursday. His many friends will be pleased to know he is progressing well.

### Loses Mother

The sympathy of the community is extended Mrs. Charles Davidson, Front St., in the loss of her mother, Mrs. K. Guy, who died suddenly at her residence in Mountain Township on Wednesday morning. The late Mrs. Guy leaves besides her husband a family of seven sons and three daughters and her death is the first break in the family circle. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson left Wednesday for Mountain.

### Energetic Bowlers

On Friday last Mrs. Florence Gordon, local octogenarian, trundled five consecutive strikes in a game in the Energetic Ladies' bowling league for a high single of 247. The high triple, 529, was scored by Mrs. Lottie Jeffrey.

### St. Andrew's Club

The February meeting of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rollins. Miss Gena Spry and Miss Rosa Spry were the conveners. Miss Rosa Spry led the devotional period.

An enjoyable evening followed in playing crokinole. A lovely lunch was served and the thanks of the club was expressed to Mr. and Mrs. Rollins for their hospitality.

### Successful In Music Exams

Miss Mildred Morton, of Wellman's, has received word of her success in the Grade 2 Theory Examination which she tried at Belleville Collegiate late in January and the Grade VIII Piano Examination held early in February at Albert College Manor. She is a piano pupil of Mrs. H. C. Elliott, A.R.C.T. Mildred took her theory by correspondence from Dr. F. J. Horwood of the Conservatory of Music, Toronto, and obtained 95 marks on the examination.

### St. James C.W.L. Holds Euchre

The ladies of St. James C.W.L. held a euchre party in the Legion Hall on Tuesday, February 22nd. The conveners were Mrs. Bill Long, Mrs. Manson Farrell, Mrs. John Downs. There were eleven tables in play and the prize winners are as follows: Ladies' high, Mrs. J. Free; ladies' low, Mrs. Stan. Meeks; men's high, Oakley Teupah; men's low, Joe Fellon. The door prize was won by Mrs. Phil McAvoy.

Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed at the conclusion of play.

### Merrie Bowlers

In the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Ladies' Merrie Bowling League the "Hustlers" took seven points from the "Five Pins" and the "Whodunits" took seven points from the "Strikers." High single and triple went to Min. West with scores of 239 and 575.

### Stirling Pee Wees Lose To Havelock

#### Defeated Bancroft 5 to 0 In First Game of Tourney At Havelock On Saturday

Six Pee Wee hockey teams from this district participated in sudden-death playdowns in the community arena at Havelock on Saturday afternoon, each competing for a silver cup, symbol of the district championship.

While O.M.H.A. and T.V.L. games have been played on this ice surface, probably none were played with more enthusiasm than the 95 youngsters who took part in Saturday's finals displayed.

The entire affair was organized by Donald "Doc" Kirk, of Havelock, who is known as "Mr. Hockey" to almost every sports-minded youngster of the community.

Mr. Kirk's Havelock team captured the Rotary Cup in fast, clean competition. First, they defeated a team from Norwood by a 4-0 score. Next they knocked out Marmora with a 6-1 score and finally defeated the runner-up, Stirling with a 2-0 shut-out.

#### Stirling Won Over Bancroft

In the third game of the tourney Stirling triumphed over Bancroft 5-0, but lost to the Havelock squad in the final 2-0.

Very few penalties were handed out during the five games and the only injury was to Bob Montgomery, of Stirling, in the last game of the day. Montgomery got in the way of a flying puck in front of the Havelock nets and received a cut over his eye which required several stitches to close.

Each team supplied its own linesmen and referee duties were handled by Wilbert Seene, of Havelock, Harold Hunter, of Havelock, Ken Gilles, of Stirling, and Bob Garden, of Norwood. The Havelock Rotary Club supplied a cup which was presented to Havelock at the close of the competition. The cup will be retained permanently by the team as a symbol of their championship.

The Stirling players were: Larry McMaster, Allan Tanner, Paul Reid, Spencer Brown, Gary Wright, Dell Benson, Bob Montgomery, Mike Long, Paul Rollins, George Butcher, David Bell, Jack Donnan, Bob Noble, Glen Hagerman, Clare Craighead and Terry McCabe.

### Confer Degree

Members of Campbellford Lodge I.O.O.F., paid a visit to Stirling Lodge last night and conferred the Initiatory Degree on three candidates. Following the impressive ceremony a number of short addresses were given. D.D.G.M. J. Poulton Jr., Campbellford, was in attendance and addressed the lodge.

### - COMING EVENTS -

THREE-ACT PLAY, "THE HOT Water Hero," in Mount Pleasant Hall, Friday, March 4th, at 8.15 p.m., auspices of Rawdon Y.P.U. Adults 50c; children 25c. 11-1

PIE SOCIAL AND THREE-ACT PLAY "Ginger Girl," by Seymour United Church Y.P.U., in Bethel United Church on Thursday, March 3rd at 8.00 p.m. Admission 60c; children 30 cents. Auspices Bethel W.A. 11-4

ANNUAL FISH AND CHIP SUPPERS starting February 25th at 6.00 p.m. at Anglican Parish Hall, Adults 70c, Children 50c. Take out orders 50c (call 2110 before 5.00 p.m.). 10-4

FARM MACHINERY PICTURES, followed by Dance, Stirling Community Hall, Monday, February 28th at 8 p.m. Sponsored by Phil & Pyear, Case Dealers, Foxboro. Admission free. Everybody welcome. Draw for door prizes. 10-2p

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## Rev. Owen Johnson, Bancroft, Guest Speaker At St. John's Church

On Sunday, February 13th, the evening service was conducted by Rev. Owen Johnson, rector of the Bancroft Parish. In his sermon, Rev. Johnson outlined three basic requirements for applying Christian ideals to modern living. Following a literal definition of the word "cynic" he expounded the theme that true Christians must be cynical (in the original sense of the word) so that they can recognize the true value of man's role in this earthly life. The speaker then emphasized that cheerfulness and humbleness are essential parts of Christian life and suggested that our "Joy in Salvation" should outweigh our "Sadness in sin."

After the service, Rev. Johnson was the guest speaker at an open meeting of the St. John's Men's Association, Mr. Ralph Andrews, President of the

Association, introduced the speaker with a brief biographical outline and also welcomed the lady members of the congregation in attendance.

### Speaks To Men's Association

Rev. Johnson gave an interesting and informative account of his work at the St. Francis Boy's Home in Ellsworth, Kansas. The Home was founded by Rev. Robert A. Mize in 1945 and this man soon became an almost legendary character in the State and was fondly referred to by the boys as "Father Bob." Rev. Johnson joined the staff as Assistant Supervisor and Chaplain in October 1949 and served in these capacities until his return to Canada in March 1953. His experience at the Home were recounted with a wealth of detail, ac-

centuated by numerous witticisms and humorous anecdotes which intrigued his audience.

All the boys at the Home were victims of broken homes and had fallen foul of the law for varying reasons, some minor and some serious. The Home routine was both "Christ-centred" and "Society-centred" said the speaker, explaining these terms by describing the home organization. There are two units with twenty to twenty-five boys in each and these are centrally controlled from an office in Salina. Each unit had its own chapel where the boys conducted their own services daily. They also assisted the Chaplain when he officiated at the Ellsworth Parish Church and occasionally took over the service there completely. Religion was discussed and practised so openly that it soon became an integral part of each boy's life and this produced a receptive pupil who could be guided on the right road to take his place in the world again.

The most unique principle employed by the Home was the idea of keeping the boys in a normal everyday environment as much as possible. They attended the village schools, theatres etc., and mixed with the local people on every possible occasion. A graded system of supervision was used and the older pupils could become honour students and attain almost complete freedom from restrictions except for the privilege of overnight absence from the Home. This was only granted when a boy's relatives or a local family would accept responsibility.

Rev. Johnson stated his conviction that Canada needs at least one similar establishment and expressed the hope that he would some day, perhaps, be able to take up this wonderful work in our own country. The story of his experience at St. Francis, although modestly told, impressed his audience that he is certainly ideally suited to such a task.

Further information was dispensed by the speaker's answers to several questions which showed that he had kindled a lively interest among his listeners. Mr. Bruce Bell voiced the thanks of all present and a generous round of applause was accorded Rev. Johnson for his truly illuminating ad-

dress. The President of the Association, added words of thanks to the speaker and the other guests and the meeting closed with a short prayer by Rev. H. C. Secker, Rector of St. John's.

### Eggleton Mission Band

The regular monthly meeting of Eggleton Mission Band was held on Friday afternoon at the school house. President, Norma Woodcox, presided over a programme prepared by Shirley Prest and Sharon Reide, Miss Marlene Armstrong presided at the piano. The worship period was conducted by Bob Clarke, reading the Scripture Lesson from 23rd Psalm.

Each member answered the roll call by repeating the first two of the Ten Commandments. Lois Danford took up the offering.

A trio by Norma Woodcox, Joyce Madill and Annamae Clarke sang, "Do You Know?" which was greatly appreciated. Archie Madill and Norma Woodcox were appointed to prepare the programme for the march meeting.

Mrs. M. Clancy gave the second and third chapter of "A Friend for the Village" and "The New Church," from the study book "The Fig Tree Village." Paul Bridges gave a reading, "Glynnes Meets Mr. Ground Hog." All repeated the benediction.

Refreshments were served by the lunch conveners Sharon Reide and Marilyn Stapley.

### Bonarlaw Valentine Party

Miss Carol Fraser entertained her Sunday School Class and the Superintendent of the Sunday School to a Valentine Party in her home on Monday evening. Several games were enjoyed along with songs, recitations and games. A lovely lunch of sandwiches, pickles, cup cakes and a lovely Valentine cake were served. Each child was given a balloon.

At the close Marion Matthews moved a hearty vote of thanks to Carol, and all joined in singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow."

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## Entered Into Rest

LATE STANLEY GORGE FINCH

The death of Stanley George Finch occurred at the Belleville General Hospital on Sunday, February 6th in his 66th year, after an illness of around three weeks.

He was born on the 10th Line of Rawdon Township, where he was a life long resident. His father was the late George Wesley Finch, and his mother, the late Margaret Meiklejohn. He was converted an an early age and faithfully attended the Gospel Hall.

The late Mr. Finch is survived by his wife, who was Elizabeth Jessie Anderson, one son, Earl, at home, and a daughter Mrs. Everett (Ruth) Lake, of Stirling. Two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Finch, of Campbellford and Mrs. Archie (Rose) Samus, of Dundonald, and two brothers, Howard and Raymond, both of Rylstone, also survive.

The funeral service was conducted on Tuesday, February 8th at his late residence by Mr. William Belch, of Belleville, and Mr. Simon Bronson, of Bancroft.

Interment was in Rylstone Cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. William Logue, Bill Morton, Vic Irwin, Everett Heath, Egbert Pritchett, and Tom McKeown.

The flower bearers were Messrs. Russell Andrews, Bob Scarlett, Percy Reid, Bobby Reid, Ralph Heath, Walt-

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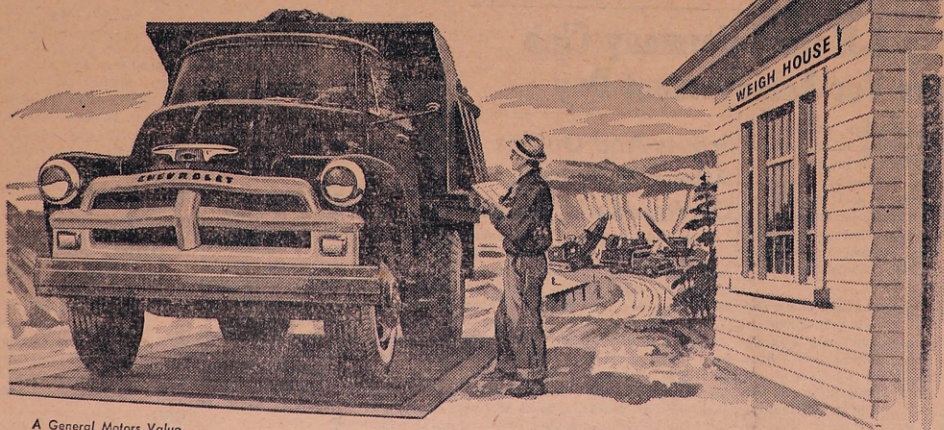


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## Belleville Presbytery Met At Belleville

Belleville Presbytery of the United Church met at Bridge Street United Church, Belleville, on February 17th with Rev. George Minnelly as chairman and Rev. Kenneth Crawford as secretary.

Rev. L. S. Throop, chairman of the Church Extension Committee, challenged the members of Presbytery to finish the task of raising their allocations for the Church Extension Fund. Several told of the spirit of self-sacrifice shown by congregations to raise money for this very important fund which has made possible the erecting of scores of new church buildings in new housing areas around cities, mining areas and industrial developments. Rev. Arthur Packman, of Stirling, gave a vivid picture of new churches erected at Swastika and other Northern Ontario centres. Rev. James Mackay, Home Mission Superintendent, spoke of Knob Lake, Que., where Mr. Douglas Ross, at present student minister at North Trenton Church, served for the past two summers as supply. Now the congregation have asked for the services of a full time minister and will pay \$2500 toward salary and provide a residence. They also want to build a church and will endeavour to raise between \$18,000 and \$20,000 themselves.

College Hill Church, in Belleville, is an illustration of the help given through the Church Extension Fund. This church has already accepted its allocation to help other churches. Some churches have delayed much needed building programmes of their own to raise money for Church Extension and others have put off efforts to pay off mortgages for the same reason. Churches which have not yet met with their allocations are to be visited in the coming month.

Rev. C. H. Dickinson, D.D., Book Steward of the United Church, told of the encouraging results thus far of the United Church Observer Family Plan, which has increased the number of subscribers within a year and a half from 45,000 to 160,000 and called upon other congregations to give it a try.

It was announced that a series of Lay Rallies will be held the second week of March, starting with Coe Hill on the 7th; Consecon on the 8th; Marmora on the 9th; Selby on the 10th and Cannifton on the 11th.

An appeal was made to pay off the

debt on Quin-Mo-Lac Camp, where 700 of our boys and girls and young people receive inspiration and recreation each summer.

Those attending Presbytery from Stirling and district were Rev. Arthur Packman, Rev. W. G. Fletcher, Messrs. Harold C. Martin, E. R. Carlisle and Orno Sharp.

## Mrs. L. Tanner Hostess To St. Thomas W.A.

St. Thomas W.A. held their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Lindsay Tanner on Tuesday afternoon with nine members present. The meeting opened by the President with a hymn, the Litany and special prayers. Mrs. Colden read the minutes of the last annual meeting and roll call was answered with a Scripture Verse and payment of dues. Mrs. Tanner then welcomed everyone and gave a summary of the year's work, expressing thanks and appreciation to all members and friends for their loyal support and co-operation during the past year.

The Secretary, Mrs. Colden, gave a detailed account of the activities of the branch during the past year. Miss Edna Tanner presented the Treasurer's report which showed a balance of \$216.00 on hand. The General Thanksgiving was reported. Miss Tanner also reported five subscriptions to the "Living Message."

Canon Brownlie spoke a few words of congratulations to the officers and members of the W.A. for their very encouraging reports, complimenting them on the success of the year. He conducted the election of officers which resulted as follows:

President — Mrs. Ted Preston  
Vice-President — Mrs. Percy Ray  
Secretary — Mrs. Ed. Colden  
Treasurer — Miss Edna Tanner  
Dorcas Secretary — Mrs. Percy Ray  
Delegate to Annual — Mrs. Lindsay Tanner.

Mrs. Preston took the chair and several items of new business were discussed. The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Tanner in two weeks. Canon Brownlie closed the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Tanner served refreshments.

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## Eggleton W.M.S. And W.A.

The February meeting of Eggleton W.M.S. and W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Carl Bridges on Thursday with a good attendance.

Mrs. Maurice Clancy presided over a programme prepared by Mrs. Clarence Fitchett with "prayer" being the theme. Mrs. Bruce Stapley presided at the piano.

A poem, "Our Comfort," was read by the President, Mrs. Clancy, after which the hymn "O God of Bethel," was sung. Mrs. C. Bridges led in prayer. Mrs. Harry Clarke read the Scripture Lesson, found in the 1st Philippian, verses one to eleven. The commentary was read by Mrs. Warren Harlow. The offering was taken after which Mrs. Gordon Nelson read the January minutes and called the roll with fifteen ladies present.

Mrs. Wm. McMullen presided over the business period. Several lovely aprons were handed in. Members were asked to bring articles for the fish pond to the March meeting. Mrs. H. Clarke and Mrs. McMullen were appointed to make arrangements for a play to be held sometime in March. An invitation to attend the World's Day of Prayer at St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, was read.

Mrs. Russell Stapley, of Stirling, a former member of the Association, offered her home for the March meeting with Mrs. Bruce Stapley as programme convener. Two visits were reported for the month of February. Later in February the members were asked to the home of Mrs. M. Clancy for an afternoon tea at which ideas for the bazaar are to be pooled.

During the programme Mrs. Chas. Stapley read "New Days." Mrs. M. Clancy sang, "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer." "Reading the Bible," was read by Mrs. Robert Danford. Mrs. Clarence Fitchett gave the second chapter of the study book.

The President thanked the hostess, Mrs. Bridges, program convener and all who had taken part on the program.

The closing hymn was "I Am Thine O Lord," followed by Mrs. Clancy leading in prayer. Refreshments were served by the hostess and a social time enjoyed.

## Salem W.A. Met At Home of Mrs. Hagerman

The February meeting of Salem W.A. was held on Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. J. B. and Lorne Hagerman in the form of a

dinner and quilting. Approximately fifty members, visitors and men set down to well filled tables.

During the afternoon Mrs. Holden, the President, called the meeting to order and opened with the theme song and prayer. She then read a suitable poem. The Secretary, Mrs. Broadworth, read the minutes of the last meeting and roll call was answered with an exchange of Valentines. Mrs. Tom Clements gave the Treasurer's report. Several "thank you" notes were acknowledged.

The meeting was turned over to Mrs. Albert Twiddy. A hymn was sung and Mrs. George Sine led in prayer. Mrs. Orval Jackson read the Scripture Lesson. Mrs. Will Johnson gave a reading entitled "St. Valentine." Mrs. Vene Hagerman favoured with a piano solo. Mrs. Francis Jeffrey sang a solo, which was very much enjoyed. Mrs. Mayo read a poem, "Friendship," and Mrs. Tom Clements gave a well prepared paper on "Friendship," which was the theme of the service; and also of the Scripture Lesson which had been read. Mrs. Arnold Ray gave a reading. The meeting closed with a hymn and benediction.

Mrs. Murney Johnson moved a vote of thanks to the hostesses for their home and all who helped make the day so successful.

## Bethel Girl's Club

The members of Bethel Girl's Club met at the home of Mrs. Jas. Barron on Saturday, February 12th. The President called the meeting to order and opened with theme song.

During the period of worship, Joan Barron read the Scripture Lesson, after which Barbara Hadley read a story pertaining to the lesson on Timothy. The hymn, "Mothers of Salem," was sung and Donalda Heath closed the devotional period with prayer.

During the business period, the Secretary's report was given by Donalda Heath and the Treasurer's report was given by Jean Reid.

Jean Reid opened the programme with a Valentine poem, followed by a piano solo, by Marlene Hadley; reading, by Barbara Hadley; game of fortunes, conducted by Marion Reid.

After the hostess and daughter Joan served a most delicious lunch prepared by the hostess, a vote of thanks was moved by Barbara Hadley.

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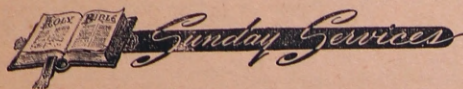
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West Huntingdon  
2.30 p.m.—Church School  
3.00 p.m.—Worship Service

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**St. Paul's**  
10.00 a.m.—Church School and Bible Class  
11.00 a.m.—"All In Wrestling"  
7.30 p.m.—Woman's Association Service. Speaker, Mrs. C. Lansing

**Carmel**  
2.00 p.m.—Church School and Bible Class  
2.45 p.m.—Service in the Church

**Rawdon Circuit**  
**UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA**  
Rev. W. G. Fletcher, B.A., Minister

11.00 a.m.—Bethel  
2.30 p.m.—Mount Pleasant  
8.00 p.m.—Wellman's

### Mount Pleasant

The World Day of Prayer will be held on Friday afternoon at Mount Pleasant United Church for the ladies of Rawdon Circuit.

Ellen and John Trenear, of Bethel, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. James Menzies.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shaw and Wayne, Ivanhoe, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher.

On Sunday morning Miss Betty McConnell presided at the piano and the juniors occupied the choir loft and rendered a selection.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Sharp and Bert

and Rev. W. G. Fletcher attended the funeral of Mr. Hiram Maney Post, at Eldorado United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Murney Johnston and Dwayne, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnston, of Salem, were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher.

The ladies of Mount Pleasant furnished food for the Hoad's Livestock Sale on Monday evening, February 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Williams visited his sister at Hilton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Couch were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burn-

### GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, February 27th, 1955

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School  
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper  
2.00 p.m.—Gospel Bells, C.J.B.Q.

7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service  
SPEAKER

8.00 p.m.—Thursday—Prayer and Bible Study

### STIRLING PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY SERVICES

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### RIVER VALLEY WOMEN'S INSTITUTE



February 25th, Euchre Party at the school house.

March 3rd, 2.00 p.m., regular meeting at home of Mrs. Ernest Carr. Topic, "Citizenship and Education." Conveners, Mrs. Ralph Utman and Mrs. J. R. Donohoe.

February 26th — Achievement Day at the Community Hall.

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Two-by-Two Club

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Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Fletcher entertained the Two-by-Two Club on Sunday evening. Mr. Ed. Richardson presided and the service opened with a sing-song of hymns. Mrs. Eric Summers read the Bible Lesson and Mrs. Burton Sharpe gave the Devotional. Mrs. Marguerite McMullen contributed a vocal solo and Mrs. Douglas Campbell read a selection. Rev. Fletcher presented a slide entitled, "The Church Is There." Mrs. Ira David read a poem and Mrs. Will Jeffs contributed guitar music. Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Richardson gave a musical duet, accordion and harmonica. Refreshments were served and a social half hour enjoyed.

Williams School

Valentine Party

The Williams School, S.S. No. 4, under the direction of their teacher Mrs. Harvey Couch, held their Valentine exchange and party on Tuesday afternoon. Gail Jeffs presided over a Junior Red Cross programme which consisted of recitations, school songs and piano music. Five little girls attended, Barbara Hoard, Ida Mae Bailey, Betty McAdam, Judy McAdam and Jean Sharpe. Each girl brought a decorated Valentine box filled with lunch and partners were arranged by numbers.

### Allan's Mill

Mr. Cyril McKeown underwent an operation in Belleville General Hospital on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKelvie and boys visited Mr. and Mrs. G. Burkitt on Sunday.

Mr. Claire Lisle is spending some time with his sister, Mrs. C. Mc-

Keown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt were among those who attended the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Frank Burkitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Burkitt and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Spry on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken McKeown and Garland, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Cyril McKeown.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burkitt on Sunday.

### Wellman's

Wellman's W.M.S. held a very enjoyable social evening and pot luck supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle with a good attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher put on a very interesting film on the life of the church, and also gave some good papers. Hymns were sung and a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close.

Miss Muriel Morton was an overnight guest on Monday with Miss Nancy Chumbley.

Glad to report that Mr. Lorne Watson has improved and able to return home from the hospital on Saturday.

Misses Lois Morton and Janet Heagle were tea guests on Tuesday with Miss Fredia Graham, it being Freida's seventh birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Chumbley visited relatives in Belleville on Sunday.

Mr. Fred King was a tea guest on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunham and Jean and Mrs. Roy Wedding and baby, visited Sunday evening with Mrs. Charles Dunham.

Wellman's W.I.

The February meeting of Wellman's Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Dunham on Wednesday of last week with a good attendance.

The meeting opened with the Ode and prayer. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Readings were given by Mrs. John Carlisle, Mrs. Wm. Matthews, Mrs. Robert Wallace, Mrs. Douglas Clancy, Mrs. Wilfred Sine and Mrs. Byron Seeley. Current events were compiled by Mrs. Jack Dunham and read by Mrs. Ken Tompkins.

A piano solo of favourite melodies by Mrs. K. Tompkins was enjoyed. Two contests were put on by Mrs. Jim Chumbley. The meeting closed by the singing of the Queen. A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Dunham and her assistants and a social hour enjoyed by all.

### Ivanhoe

Mr. and Mrs. Don Freeman, of Toronto, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl McMaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stephens, Stephennie and Mr. Wagner Heirskov spent the week-end in Toronto.

Mrs. Aileen Fleming, of Montreal, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Fleming.

### Rylstone

The Rylstone Women's Association held a pot luck dinner and quilting at the home of Mrs. Sanford Meiklejohn on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Holland and Stewart were Friday evening guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Pollock, Menie, spent Friday evening at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Percy Reid and her husband and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Willie, Wayne and Shirley Stewart, Trenton, spent Friday evening with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barnum and Betty Lou and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson, Barbara and Grant, were Saturday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Reid, Anne and Teddy. It was the occasion of Betty Lou Barnum's fourth birthday.

Congratulations to Mrs. Minnie Morton, who on Sunday celebrated her 75th birthday. We wish her many happy returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stewart, Glenn and Marilyn were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stewart and Gary, in Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKeown spent Thursday with her nephew, Don Spencer and family, Ridge Road, Stirling.

Mr. and Mrs. Geordie Sutherland and family and Mrs. Maude Runnalls, of Stirling and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomson and family, of Campbellford, called on their mother, Mrs. Lizzie Thomson and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Anderson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKeown and family were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stapley and Lenora.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Irvin, of Campbellford, were Sunday supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Willis Irvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Reid and Geordie spent an evening last week with Mr.

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Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Forsyth and Shelly, of Peterborough, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Reid and Janet on Sunday.

The Rylstone W.A. held a quilting and pot luck dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Meiklejohn on Wednesday last.

Friends of Mr. Vern Runnalls will be glad to learn that he was able to return home from Kingston Hospital on Thursday, where he has been undergoing treatment for a back ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Covenay and family, of Crookston, were guests of Mrs. Albert Reid and Mr. Grant Reid on Sunday.

Friends of Mr. Jack Reid will be sorry to learn that he is a patient in Belleville Hospital where he was taken by ambulance on Thursday following a collision when the truck in which he was driving was struck by a train at the railway crossing on the 11th Concession of Rawdon Township. Jack suffered severe facial lacerations when thrown against the truck windshield. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Willis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunk, Cobourg, on Sunday.

### Springbrook

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reid and Gary visited with relatives in Bowmanville and Oshawa over the week-end.

Mr. Roger Meiklejohn, of Stirling, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Meiklejohn.

Mrs. Harry Hamilton, of Montreal, was a recent guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Heath, for a few days.

Miss Lois Mason spent a day recently in Kingston where she attended a Mental Health Conference in the Kingscourt School as a representative from the Belleville Women Teachers Federation.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mel McKeown and family, Seymour Township.

Mrs. Lorne Richardson, Prescott, spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Vern Runnalls and family.

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The March meeting will be held at  
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day, March 3rd at 2.30 p.m.

### Births

**BIRTH**  
ABRAMS — At the Sine Maternity  
Hospital, Harold, Ontario, on Satur-  
day, February 19th, 1955, to Mr. and  
Mrs. Walter Abrams, of Holloway, a  
son, a brother for Gordon and Irene.

**NORTHCOTT** — At Toronto Western  
Hospital, on Saturday, February  
19th, 1955, to Mr. and Mrs. Victor  
Northcott, (nee Isabelle Dobbie) a  
daughter, Nancy Una.

**SAYERS** — Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sayers  
(nee Graver) are happy to an-  
nounce the arrival of a son on Feb-  
ruary 16th, 1955, at Humber Memori-  
al Hospital, Toronto, a brother for  
Christopher.

### In Memoriam

**NEAL** — In loving memory of my dear  
husband, Melvin Neal, who passed  
away February 23rd, 1947.

Eight years have passed away since  
that sad day,

When one I loved was called away;  
God took him home, it was his will  
Within my heart he liveth still.

—Sadly missed by wife and family 11-1p

**SINE** — In loving memory of a dear  
sister, Frances Sine, who passed  
away February 21st, 1951.

She has not gone from those she loved  
Nor has she travelled far;  
Just entered God's most lovely room  
And left the door ajar.

—Longed for always, Floss and  
Mary. 11-1p

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to say "thank you" to  
everyone who sent us gifts and cards  
when our baby was born.

11-1p John and Alice Zuidema

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincerest  
thanks to all those who remembered  
baby and me with cards, fruit, plants  
and gifts during our stay in Belleville  
Hospital and since our return home.

Mrs. Lorne Bailey and son George  
11-1

### CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely wish to thank the  
Stirling Fire Brigade and also our  
friends and neighbours for their many  
acts of kindness shown to us during  
our recent chimney fire.

11-1p Mrs. George White and Mildred

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my many friends,  
relatives and neighbours who remem-  
bered me with cards, treats and per-  
sonal calls during my stay in hospital  
and since returning home. Thanks to  
the Salem Sunday School, the W.A.  
and Teen-age Group and St. John's  
Guild for the lovely treats; also a  
special "thank you" to our kind neigh-  
bours who cut and hauled up our  
wood. All these were much appreci-  
ated.

11-1p Eugene McGee

### CARD OF THANKS

Time has come to say "thank you"  
to my kind neighbours, friends and  
relatives of town and of former com-  
munities where we used to live, for  
their thoughtful kindness at the time  
and since my accident. Your letters,  
personal calls, telephone calls and  
dinner invitations gave me and my  
family the needed lift at the right  
time. Also I wish to thank Dr. and  
Mrs. Carleton for their kind and  
prompt attention the afternoon of my  
accident.

11-1 Gertrude Tummon

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to take this opportu-  
nity of thanking all my friends and  
neighbours for cards, gifts and per-  
sonal calls during my stay in hospital  
and since returning home.

11-1p Alva Christie

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Stanley  
Finch wish to thank their kind friends  
and neighbours for expressions of  
sympathy and acts of kindness; also  
for beautiful cards and floral tributes  
during their recent bereavement.

11-1p

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have started pullets for sale and we  
are buying live fowl.

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11-2p

### St. Paul's Notes of Interest

(By Rev. A. Packman)

Confirmation Classes will com-  
mence on Monday, March 13th at 7.30  
p.m.

### Baptism

David Harold, son of Mr. and Mrs.  
Douglas Lloyd Robson was baptized  
on Sunday, February 20th at St.  
Paul's.

### A Day At

The Hospitals

Monday, February 21st. The morn-  
ing from 9.00 o'clock was spent at the  
General in Kingston. Morley Aythart  
had a pleasant surprise when we ar-  
rived with Mrs. Aythart who stayed  
with him until 1.30 p.m. Following  
his operation, Morley was feeling fine  
but a trifle sore. Certainly, under all  
the circumstances he was as cheer-  
ful as could possibly be expected.

Mrs. Ernie Munro we found walk-  
ing about in her room waiting, ex-  
pecting soon to go into the operation  
theatre. There are times when it  
does one good to go to visit patients  
in hospital; we were cheered to find  
them all in good spirits, patient and  
hopeful.

Mrs. J. H. Beatty asked her doctor,  
"May I soon go home?" "Sorry," he  
replied, "We don't discuss such things  
on Sundays." It may be that she will  
have to spend some more days still at  
Kingston, but again, she is of a quiet  
mind and was greatly encouraged by  
a visit.

Mrs. E. A. Carleton had good news,  
she hoped to be home on Wednesday.

At Belleville we found Mrs. Walter  
Barker still in bed surrounded by  
flowers and cards her many friends  
had sent her. Not too well on Satur-  
day, she seemed more herself on Mon-  
day. All she wants, she said was to  
get home and "rest on her own settee  
for an hour."

Strange how little rest a patient

### Tenders Wanted

SEALED TENDERS for the instal-  
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gets in hospital.

Mrs. Edward Lynch is a good  
patient also, I believed her when she  
said she "just does not allow worry,"  
She is wise, will have none of it and so  
is getting the best out of her enforced  
rest.

### Carmel

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brooks enter-  
tained on Saturday evening Mr. and  
Mrs. Gerald Pyear, Mr. and Mrs.  
Everett Grills, Mr. and Mrs. Ray  
Keating, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Pyear,  
Mrs. Helen Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Harry  
Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hagerman  
and Mr. Wm. Murray.

On Wednesday Mrs. Frank Bailey  
celebrated her birthday with her  
neighbour ladies spending the after-  
noon with her. Mrs. Robert Hoard,  
Mrs. Robert Merrick, Mrs. Arthur  
Couch, Mrs. Oscar Merrick and Mrs.  
Harry McAdam, Mrs. Archie Bailey  
served a delectable lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hagerman and  
granddaughter, Sandra, spent Satur-  
day with Mr. and Mrs. J. Cross, Roslin  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farrell and Mrs.  
Chas. Johnston, Trenton, were Satur-  
day evening guests of Mr. and Mrs.  
Joe Grills.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pyear ac-  
companied the latter's parents, Mr.  
Roscoe Robson, M.L.A. and Mrs. Rob-  
son to the opening of the Legislature  
in Toronto.

Mr. Arthur Brown has disposed of  
his household effects at his home in  
Peterborough, and has moved to the  
home of his son, Mr. Harry Brown.

An all-day quilting with pot luck  
dinner was held at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Everett Grills and Mr. and  
Mrs. Joe Grills on Tuesday, when two  
quilts were completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pyear attend-

ed the wedding reception of the lat-  
ter's brother, Mr. Roger Robson and  
Mrs. Robson (nee Miss Jean Morton),  
near Tweed.

The Glen Ross school pupils and  
their teacher, Mrs. Jack Bush, cele-  
brated St. Valentine's Day at the  
school by entertaining their mothers  
with a programme, followed by lunch.  
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hubel and  
Donnie, Brighton, spent the week-end  
with their respective parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Chas. Bailey and Mrs. Russell  
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HAM ROAST ..... lb. 49c  
PORK SHOULDER ROAST ..... lb. 39c  
COOKED HAM ..... lb. 90c  
PEAMEAL ROLL ..... lb. 50c  
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## Rotary International Celebrates Golden Anniversary Wednesday

**Stirling Club Organized April 9th, 1949 — Trenton Rotary Club Was Sponsor**

Fifty years ago yesterday, (Wednesday, February 23rd, 1905) four lonely Chicago businessmen inaugurated a plan to brighten their work-day world with relaxation and good companionship. They had decided to rotate between each other's offices once a week and stay a while for lunch.

These four friendly men had no idea what they were starting. Their little group increased and their idea got around so that today there are more than 8,475 Rotary Clubs in 89 countries. These thousands of clubs are all motivated by the same spirit —

service to others — and they have a total membership of something approaching 407,000.

To commemorate the Golden Anniversary, club members throughout the world have been asked to re-dedicate themselves to the Rotary ideals of service and Christian charity. Each Rotary Club is requested to take on a special project to mark the 50th milestone.

**Local Club Formed In 1949**

The Rotary Club of Stirling was formed on April 19th, 1949 at a special meeting held in the Community Hall. It was sponsored by the Rotary Club of Trenton and its Charter Officers

were: President, Alton Hadley; Vice-President, Wm. A. Sutherland; Secretary, Harold E. Baker; Treasurer, Earl G. Bailey; Directors, C. I. Hutton, W. T. Elliott, Dr. Wm. Cornett; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. V. Holt.

Charter members were Harold Wells, B. Woodbeck, Geo. Crown, Ed. Warren, H. C. Bird, Ralph Vandervoort, A. O. Dalrymple, Ed. Ketcheson and George Noble.

Those who have filled the office of Chairman are A. Hadley, Dr. Cornett, C. I. Hutton, H. J. Wells, Oliver Dalrymple and the present incumbent, Dr. R. W. Vandervoort.

The present officers are President, Dr. Vandervoort; Vice-President, Ed. Warren; Secretary, Geo. Noble; Treasurer, D. Duffin; Directors, H. C. Bird, E. Ketcheson, C. West and R. A. Patterson.

The Club now has a membership of thirty and meetings are held every Tuesday at 6.10 p.m.

**Message From Golden Anniversary Committee Chairman**

H. J. Wells, chairman of the anniversary committee states the local club has helped children who have had polio, purchased glasses for children, sent children to Toronto for X-Rays; provided transportation for children to Oak Lake during summer and supervised swimming; supervised playgrounds in summer at recreational grounds; sent out Christmas baskets, and have helped in numerous other ways.

All the Rotary Club members are very active and really enjoy meeting every week to discuss current topics and forget the worries of business for a time.

The Rotary Club of Stirling has been well blessed with good leaders in the past and have always had a hard working executive, and we are

fortunate in having a good group of members to continue this worthwhile work.

This year being our Golden Anniversary Year, it has meant some extra work, and our major programme for this year is Safety Patrol, to encourage safety and to get the children safety minded. We feel if we can save one child from injury we will be well repaid for our efforts. With the co-operation of parents, Town Council,



H. J. WELLS  
Past President, and Chairman  
of Golden Anniversary Committee

Town Constable, teachers and everyone of us, we think that we can achieve this goal and we hope that we have your co-operation in this undertaking. We also would like to state that the Principal of the Stirling Public School has given us outstanding help and leadership in this project.

You can readily understand that a project like this costs our Club considerable money and expense. The citizens of Stirling and area have always been most generous in supporting all our projects, and without this support we could not offer these worthwhile services to this community.

The Stirling Rotary Club is not confined to the Village only, but is supposed to include the surrounding district and anyone wishing to join the club from the outside area may do so if there is a Classification open for him. The Club would welcome any inquiries.

If there is any person in our district who knows of a child in need, the Stirling Rotary Club would be pleased to learn of the child's name so assistance can be given in any way possible.

In closing this committee hopes that the years ahead will be as prosperous for Rotary and that the members will be as anxious to help out in this worthwhile cause as they have been in the past.

## Mrs. Roy Bush Hostess To River Valley W.M.A.

The Woman's Missionary Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Roy Bush on February 15th with an attendance of ten members and one visitor. The President, Mrs. Ernest Carr, opened the meeting by reading a poem and the singing of hymn "O Master Let Me Walk With Thee," followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison.

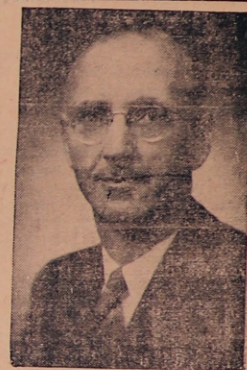
Thank you notes were read from Mrs. Moore, Miss Bly and Mrs. Zuidema. The members were reminded of the World's Day of Prayer to be held this year in St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, on February 25th. There were two cards sent, 7 home calls and 3 hospital calls reported.

The various secretaries reported and the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Ross Holland. The theme of the worship period was "Prayer." Mrs. Holland gave a reading "Prayer," Hymn, "The Church's One Foundation," was sung, followed by prayer.

Mrs. Ross Bush read the Scripture Lesson and the 3rd chapter of the study book was reviewed by Mrs. Holland, "The Struggle For Men's Minds." There has been great progress of the Christian Church in the past century and a half, but there are too many uncomfortable facts in the world today to permit us to rest content on its laurels. There are more countries closed to the preaching of the gospel than any other time in memory.

A vocal solo was rendered by Mrs. George Heasman, "I Will Pilot Thee," accompanied by Mrs. Phil Conley. Roll call was reported to by reading a verse containing the word "Prayer." The Bible Study was taken by Mrs. Roy Bush, "Paul's letter to the Ephesians." The meeting closed by singing hymn, "In Christ There Is No East or West" and the benediction.

Lunch was served by Mrs. Bush and the lunch committee. Mrs. John Kane voiced thanks to the hostess for the use of her home, to Mrs. Holland for the programme and to the lunch committee for the lovely lunch.



C. F. Basil Tippet  
DISTRICT GOVERNOR

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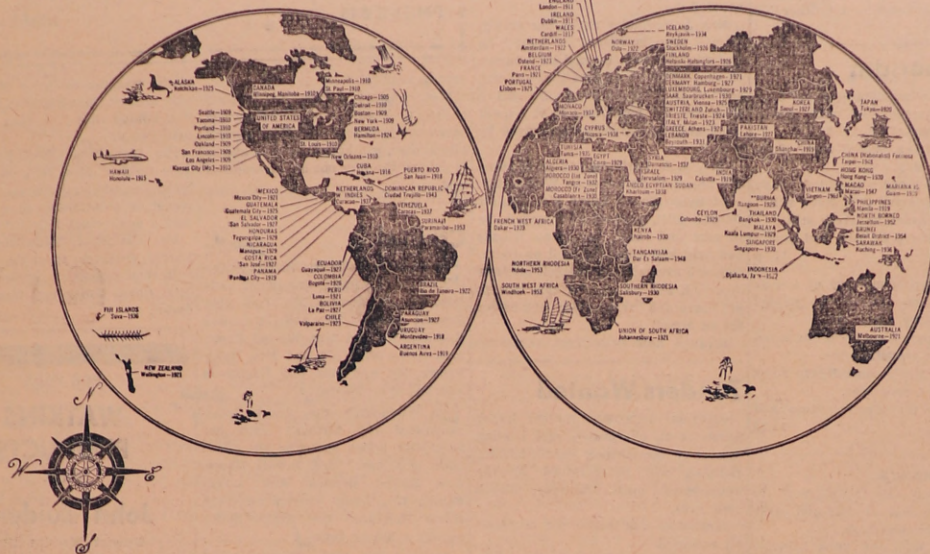
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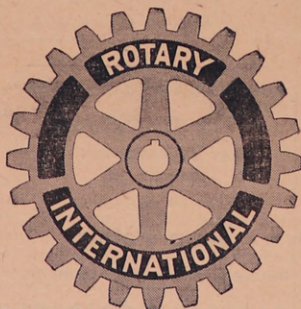
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1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;
2. High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society;
3. The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life;
4. The advancement of international understanding, good will, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men united in the ideal of service.

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The Rotary Club of  
**Stirling, Ontario**





## NEWS FOR THE BUSY FARMER

### RODNEY AND GARRY OATS IN THE EAST

Rodney and Garry oats, two new varieties produced at the Cereal Breeding Laboratory, Winnipeg, have been tested in the East during the past two years. The results so far indicate that both varieties are quite well adapted in Ontario and western Quebec, but show much less promise in other areas of Quebec and in the Maritime provinces, says R. A. Derick, Cereal Division, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

Rodney is classed as a medium late variety while Garry is nearly a week earlier and will mature almost as early as Beaver. Both have fairly good straw and could be considered suitable varieties for combining. Rodney however, has extremely short plump kernels which may dehull readily unless care is taken in threshing or combining. Garry, while having reasonably plump kernels and a little longer than those of Rodney, does not dehull as readily.

Rodney is resistant to all races of stem rust except the comparatively new race 7A. Garry is resistant to all stem rust races. Both varieties are resistant to about 75 per cent of the races of crown or leaf rust identified in Canada.

The seed supply of Rodney for the 1955 crop in the East may be limited although a considerable acreage was grown in Ontario in 1954. The quality of seed may vary greatly due to poor harvesting conditions.

The indications are that there will be no seed of Garry oats available for eastern growers in 1955.

### Area Hog Men Asked To Back Selling Agency

Charles McInnis, president of the Ontario Hog Producers' Association, says farmers should fight for what he terms "the right to market their own product."

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Hastings County Hog Producers' Association, he said Wednesday the right of producers to market their products through their own marketing agency — United Livestock Sales — will be challenged in a test case in Stratford in three months.

The challenge will be made by a Perth County farmer, who is opposed to farm organizations, Mr. McInnis said.

Mr. McInnis appealed for support of the selling agency because, he said, it had raised the price paid to producers of Ontario hogs an average of \$2.00 a hog since the agency was formed two years ago.

#### Officers

Irwin McCoy, of Marmora Township, was elected President of the Association; Bruce Robinson, Madoc, Vice-President, and Gordon G. Bailey, of Harold, Secretary-Treasurer.

#### FEDERATION AT NAPANEE

A zone meeting of the Federation of Agriculture will be held Friday, February 25th at Napanee in morning and afternoon sessions. One of their subjects is likely to be aimed at

Theodore Parker's challenge of the validity of the marketing legislation, particularly in the detail of directing a hog produced to a specific market. This meeting precedes the annual of the Ontario Hog Producers in Toronto on March 2nd and 3rd, and is likely to warm up a rehearsal of the marketing agency question, a major promotion of the Ontario Federation.

### River Valley Farm Forum

River Valley Farm Forum met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Heasman for their last meeting with twenty-five in attendance. Last week five hundred and thirty-eight Forums met in Ontario.

The topic was "Which is better off — the farmer or the urban worker?" Much can be said in favour of both. A great deal depends on the individual whether raised in the country or the city. The urban worker has more cash income (subject to unemployment), more modern conveniences, but often has farther to go to work, sometimes an hour going and returning home. The urban worker works shorter hours and probably has more ways to tempt him to spend his income as fast as it is earned; more real holidays; more time for hobbies; more chances of recreation closer to him. He is also more liable to be laid off work if times are dull than a farm labourer. He must punch the time clock and never under any circumstances be late at work. The city labourer has to buy everything, even the water he drinks. Another advantage is working inside on hot, cold or stormy weather.

On the other hand the farmer or farm labourer has to contend with all kinds of weather conditions, as much has to be done regardless of rain, snow or heat, as in summer working in the hot sun, bringing in cows to milk no matter how hard it rains; in winter to pump water etc. in the cold. His work goes on seven days a week with many chores morning and evening. The average farmer is often short of help and he cannot pay the same wage rate as in the city. If he wishes to take a day off between chore times he can do so; if tired he is free to sit down and rest awhile, but may lose some of his crop if too much time is taken off.

By working longer hours, investing the last dollar he makes and borrowing in some cases to make improvements, by the time he is past working he may if very fortunate have enough to live comfortably, if not too tired to enjoy his last days.

Taking everything into consideration, each is better off in some ways than the other; but on the whole the urban and country worker are about even.

A letter was sent to a former resident of River Valley, Guy Bolton, who is seriously ill in Brantford Hospital.

Homogenized milk is made by forcing milk through tiny holes under heavy pressure. This breaks down the butterfat into minute particles for easier digestibility.

### Research Works With The Farmer

Probably no other industry in Canada has as much research directed towards increasing its efficiency as agriculture. Hundreds of workers from coast to coast at federal and provincial experimental farms and research laboratories are making intensive studies of a wide variety of agricultural problems. These range from studies in animal nutrition to development of disease resistant crops; from soil conservation to woodland management; from the effects of soil conditions to the economics of recently developed pest control chemicals.

In universities and at science service laboratories answers are being sought to such questions as: How do insects develop resistance to insecticides? Can some of the diseases affecting plants and livestock be reduced by feeding trace minerals? A new tool has been placed in the scientists' hands — radio active tracers — which makes certain phases of their work infinitely easier.

Industry too is playing its part by providing better fertilizers and more effective chemicals for killing weeds and insects. Test plots are maintained to study how industrial products can best be used to increase crop yields and provide more abundant food supplies for all Canadians.

Once the work of research has borne fruit, the information is passed to the farmer in many ways. The story is told in newspapers and farm magazines; over the radio and on television. Pamphlets and motion pictures are made readily available to junior farmer short courses and adult study classes.

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### Hog Producers To Meet In March

Another winter schedule of farm meetings and conventions is trailing off toward the close.

One of the most interesting still on the list is the Ontario Hog Producers, March 2nd and 3rd, at the King Edward Hotel, Toronto.

The 24th annual meeting of the Canadian Council of 4-H Clubs is at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, on March 7th to 9th.

Central Ontario Spring Show at Peterborough, March 16th to 18th.

Ontario Farm Radio Forum, annual meeting, Royal York Hotel, Toronto, on Wednesday, April 6th.

### Rich Uranium At Faraday Mine

Spectacular uranium values are still being obtained in underground development at Faraday Uranium Mines, Bow Lake, south of Bancroft.

Fifteen hundred tons of ore drawn from 200 feet of drifting west of the west adit has been assayed at \$65.83 per ton. The average width of the ore for 190 feet of this heading is 7.8 feet.

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On the strength of these encouraging results the management has ordered an additional 3,500 feet of underground lateral work from the mining contractors.

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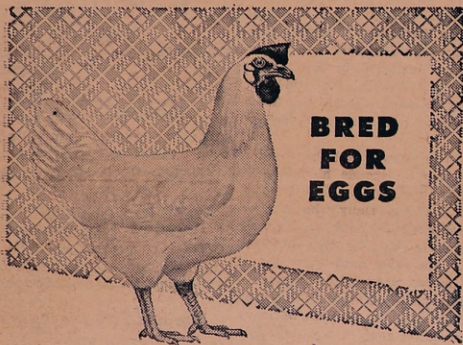
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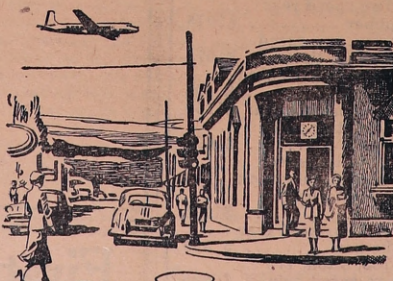
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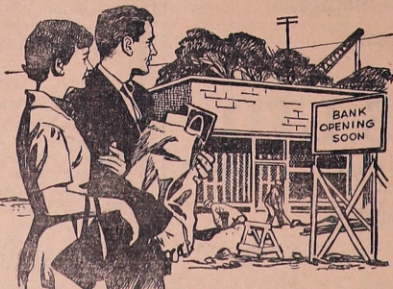
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### Hurt In Crash

A truck driven by Jack Reid, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid, of Springbrook, met in collision with a train at the 11th Concession of Rawdon crossing on Thursday last.

Mr. Reid was taken to Belleville General Hospital where he is suffering from head injuries.

### Mrs. E. Uniacke Hostess To C.W.L.

The February meeting of the Stirling Catholic Women's League was held at the home of Mrs. E. Uniacke. The meeting opened with the League

Prayer by the President, Mrs. F. Long. The Treasurer's and Secretary's reports were heard. Miss A. O'Donnell read various correspondence received during the month, including the per capita fees and League projects. The main business discussed was having an Easter dance and study clubs in the homes on Sunday evenings during Lent. With the advice of the Director, Rev. J. L. Lamarche, it was decided to contribute to three league projects. The meeting adjourned and refreshments were served by the hostess.

### Dog Tags Now Available

The 1955 dog tags are now available at the office of Clerk F. R. Mallory and dog owners are advised to purchase the necessary tag for their pets at once.

### Rawdon Hockey Semi-Finals

Stirling took an easy 16 to 1 victory over Springbrook West on Thursday evening of the past week and will now meet Springbrook East in the final for the group championship.

### Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wells and Tommy spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Bowerman, Cherry Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrie Seeley and family, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fournier, Hastings.

Mrs. Fred Bateman underwent a tonsillectomy on Wednesday in Belleville General Hospital and is progressing as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sargent, of Belleville, called on Mrs. Geo. White and Miss Mildred White on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Beverly Campbell, Mr. Bill Shaunessy, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. J. Doran and children, of Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Donohoe spent the supper hour with Mrs. Jennie Donohoe on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Reid, Belleville, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wickett, of Foxboro, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Wright.

Rev. H. C. Secker was in Adolphustown on Monday conducting the funeral of a former parishioner, Mr. Archie Heathcote. He also attended the executive meetings of Synod and the Board of Rural Deans on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. A. T. Ashley, Principal of Vankeek Hill Collegiate, accompanied by his daughter, Margaret, and his mother, Mrs. S. S. Ashley, Madoc, were Saturday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. C. Tummon.

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### Ball and Chain Club

The Rev. R. W. T. Middleton, B.A., was the speaker at the "Ball and Chain Club" of St. Paul's United Church on Wednesday, February 16th. Speaking on "Humour," a subject which he illustrated in many ways and a wealth of stories, Mr. Middleton spoke of humour as would the Greek as the much needed "medicine" of life.

A man is known, said the speaker, by the way he spends his time, his money and his words. It is to be regretted that too many who imagine that they are being funny, are merely making up in vulgarity what they lack in wit. He gave many examples of the latter but none of the former.

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